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FROM WASHINGTON.

Confirmation of the Restored Naval Officers—Proceedings in Executive Session—Another Letter from General Cass on the Mortara Case, &c.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The Senate confirmed all the nominations for restoration to the Navy, sent in yesterday, as follows:

Captains—Paine, Ramsey and Inman to the Active list, and Voorhees to the Leave on Pay list.

Commanders—Armstrong, Long, Johnson and Shaw to the active list, and Lecompte to the leave list.

Promotions to Commanders on the Active List—Lieutenants Porter, Williamson, Carter, Bissell, Gleason, Kilty, Chandler, Meade and Gibson.

Lieutenants to a place on the Active List.—Flagg, Walbach, Doyle, Marm, Riell, Perry, Rolando, Parker, Fitzgerald, Rhind, McArann, Byrens, Hall.

Lieutenants to the leave on Pay List.—Walson, Brownell, Abbott, Barney and Harrison.

Of these, Lieutenants Bissell, Carter, Kilty, Chandler, Meade, Gibson, Porter, Williamson and Gleason are promoted to be Commanders.

There was a fierce debate in Executive session in connection with one case—probably Johnson's—and very angry manifestations of feeling between certain gentlemen on the Democratic side of the Chamber. It is supposed, however, that the matter will be arranged by friends without further collision.

The President, to-day, sent in the additional nominations of Lieut. Mercer to the *Active*, and Lieut. Harrison to the Leave-pay list.

The Senate also confirmed all the pending nominations for appointments, made during the recess, of Post-masters, Consuls, and Land officers, except one of the latter in Minnesota—thus clearing the Executive calendar. S.

[FROM THE REPORTER FOR THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Following the Naval confirmations, Mr. Brown, of Mississippi, introduced a joint resolution establishing the Brevet Grade of Admiral to be conferred when the President may deem proper to acknowledge that it is due for eminent services, and providing that when the office is once filled and becomes vacant, it shall expire.

The resolution was referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

The Senate also confirmed R. W. Wolley, of Kentucky, as Secretary of Legation at Spain.

Gen. Cass, in a letter to Capt. Levy, of this city, dated Monday, while giving his reasons for withholding authoritative censure by this Government of the proceedings at Bologna in the case of the boy Mortara says, as an individual he has no hesitation in expressing his surprise and regret at the deplorable occurrence in the Papal States, and that it is difficult to conceive how such an act of injustice could take place in the middle of the Nineteenth Century and in the heart of Europe. The judgment of the world, he adds, will condemn it.

Our Washington Correspondence.

PROBABLE SUCCESS OF THE PACIFIC RAILROAD BILL—THE SPANISH-MEXICAN QUESTION—THE FILIBUSTERS OF THE SCHOONER SUSAN, ETC.

WASHINGTON, Tuesday, Dec. 21.

The most earnest friends of the Pacific Railroad have been doubtful of the success of any one of the many conflicting bills pending in Congress, and which look to the construction of that important work. To-day, however, their hopes have revived, and they begin to feel confident of early and eminent success. The amendment of Mr Foster, providing that the road shall be constructed of American materials, it is believed will secure support for the measure in the Senate, where it had not been anticipated heretofore. It is argued that the large demand for American iron which the railroad construction will create under the operation of this amendment, will operate as a protection to the entire iron interests of the country; and that this consideration will secure to the amended bill the States of Pennsylvania, New-Jersey and Missouri, and several other States heretofore looked upon as doubtful. In short, to-night's count seems to show a clear majority in the Senate for the bill, substantially as reported by Mr. Gwin from the Railroad Committee, with Mr. Foster's amendment, already noted.

The speech made to-day in behalf of the measure by Senator Seward, was a masterly argument, exhibiting the importance of the Pacific Railroad as a bond of social, political and commercial union, and as an instrumentality of defence. The Senator also set forth, in emphatic terms, the duty of the Government to construct the work, and demonstrated that public economy demanded it no less than public necessity. Like everything else emanating from the pen of your distinguished Senator, his argument to-day may be referred to with confidence as a complete and thorough exposition of the subject treated.

I telegraphed you, to-night, the contents of letters received here to-day, announcing that Spanish transports are daily expected off Tampico, bringing troops to operate against Mexico with the Spanish fleet already there. These statements are so directly the reverse of oft-repeated assurances made to our Government by the Spanish Minister, here, that it is difficult to believe them; yet there are prominent Mexicans now in Washington who fear that Spain really has hostile designs against Mexico, and is to be secretly supported in them by France. These gentlemen suspect England to be engaged in secret intrigue with France in the extension of a European protectorate over the whole of Mexico and Central America. While I give these surmises for what they may be worth, permit me to add that I have no reason to change the opinion heretofore expressed, to the effect that if Spain *has* any designs against Mexico, England is in no sense a party to them.

I was permitted to read a letter to-day, dated Mobile, Ala., the 12th inst., and written by a gentleman who is fully posted in regard to the movements of Gen. Walker and his friends. Referring to the anxiety expressed in the public prints lest a British cruiser should seize the schooner *Susan*, which recently left Mobile, the writer says:

"Before this, it seems to me the diplomatic corps, as well as the United States Government, should have ascertained that the naturalized Nicaraguans have some conduct as well as courage. They may rely on it that *the Susan will not thrust herself into the neighborhood of Her British Majesty's vessels at San Juan del Norte. She will land her passengers in Central America without any interference whatever. I speak confidently, because I know the destination of the Susan, and no surmise yet made as to her course approaches the truth.*

The passengers on the *Susan* are all excellent men. Among them are many old Nicaraguans, who know the country and the people. They are men capable of leading difficult enterprises, and our friends may count confidently on hearing a good account of them."

Did you notice the course pursued by Jefferson Davis, to-day, in relation to a resolution introduced by Mr. Seward, simply inquiring whether any additional legislation is necessary for the effectual suppression of the African Slave-trade? A single objection, under the rules of the Senate, prevents the consideration of a resolution upon the day of its introduction, and that objection Mr. Davis made to-day with significant promptness. Are we to understand by this that the Senator from Mississippi wants the Slave-trade reopened? It certainly looks so.

The Old Soldiers' bill is quite certain to pass the House to-morrow, in the shape in which it now stands; and my impression is that it will pass the Senate also, unless it is smothered so as never to get to the vote in that body. Herein lies the danger. The bill provides pensions for every soldier who served three months in the War of 1812, or in various Indian wars.

Some wag, who doubtless was disgusted with the recent pow-wow at the White House, between the President and the Tammany men, and the "Don Fernandos" of the New-York Democracy, took the liberty of affixing a fitting badge to the Executive mansion some time during the dark hours the other night. Imagine the horror of Buchanan's "tiger" when he opened the front door in the morning, and found "Tammany Hall" inscribed across the portal in massive letters of charcoal crayon. The joke would have been better, and more appropriate, if the inscription had been "Pewter Mug." S.

XXXVth Congress---Second Session.

SENATE....WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The usual bundle of petitions was received. Those of public interest were two presented by Mr. Seward of N. Y., from citizens of Berks and Lancaster Counties, Penn., asking for protection for American industry; and fifty or sixty more presented by Mr. Cameron, of Penn., from all the counties of Pennsylvania, making the same request.

Mr. Seward, of New-York, introduced a bill, which was read twice by its title, authorizing the removal of the offices belonging to the United States, and occupied by the Collector of the Revenue, in connection with the Quarantine Station, in the port of New-York.

Mr. Seward also presented a memorial from gold and silver leaf manufacturers, in the city of New-York and elsewhere; also, three petitions from citizens of Oneida and Jefferson Counties, N. Y., praying for the erection of a breakwater at the port of Cape Vincent; all of which were referred to the proper Committees.

Mr. Clay, of Alabama, submitted a resolution, which was adopted, calling on the President for the correspondence between the Mexican Government, Mr. Forsyth, and the State Department, and such other matters as will elucidate the complications which resulted in the suspension of Diplomacy.

Mr. Hunter, of Virginia, submitted a resolution, which was adopted, requesting the Postmaster-General to inform the Senate what changes in the Postal Laws are necessary to render the Department self-sustaining.

On motion of Mr. Mallory, of Florida, a joint resolution was adopted, permitting certain officers of the Navy to accept from the British Government medals and snuff-boxes.

Mr. Wilson, of Massachusetts, introduced a bill, which was referred to the Committee on the District, to appropriate a million of acres of lands for the benefit of free public schools in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, reported from the Committee on Military Affairs a substitute for the bill relating to military officers.

Several messages, the contents of which are unknown, were received from the President, whereon the Senate went into Executive session for some hours. Adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The House passed the Soldiers of the War of 1812 Pension bill by Yeas 130, Nays 73.

On motion of Mr. Phelps, of Maine, the House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the State of the Union on the bill for the payment of the invalid and other pensions, appropriating $852,000 therefor.

The Military Academy bill, appropriating nearly $181,000, was next taken up.

Mr. Giddings, of Ohio, said that while some gentlemen were scrupulous about voting for the Soldier's Pension bill, paying those who had fought, the bill before them proposed paying men to learn to fight. He complained of appropriations for purposes of war, our mission being peace, and a standing army not having been contemplated by the founders of our Government. They would be soon called on to vote large sums for fortifications, which in a quarter of a century would be as useless as old castles on the Rhine.

Mr. Lovejoy, of Illinois, asked him whether he believed the Soldier's Pension bill right?

Mr. Giddings was glad his reverend friend had asked him that question. As the pension system had been adopted, he would deal out its benefits with even-handed justice. Congress had squandered money on General Scott, while there were men in his district not worth a hundred dollars who fought as gallantly.

Mr. Lovejoy said his theology was that two wrongs do not make a right. Generals Scott and Cass were pensioners by the bill just passed as well as the venerable gentleman from Ohio. It was like Oliver Twist presenting his bowl, asking for more soup. [Laughter.] A new pension system was inaugurated to-day, opening a sluice-way to a bottomless ocean of corruption. If the vote had been by ballot, there would not have been fifty votes in its favor. [Laughter.] But the old soldiers afforded an occasion for highfalutin and humbug, and a hobby like boys riding on broomsticks. [Laughter.] He would vote against the Military Academy and all Military bills. That was good theology as well as Christianity.

Mr. Giddings replied that the House have not inaugurated a new system of pensions. It was inaugurated in 1818 and had been maintained to the present day.

Mr. Lovejoy responded that it was a new system to pension well men. After a while Congress will be called upon to pension those engaged in the Mexican, Florida and every other petty war.

The Military Academy bill was laid aside to be reported to the House.

Mr. Phelps, of Missouri, offered a series of resolutions referring the various branches of the President's Message to the appropriate standing Committees.

Mr. Comins, of Massachusetts, remarked that there was much in the Message to approve and much to condemn. While the President was anxious to enforce measures against Spain and other countries, for satisfaction of our claims, even to war, he had nothing to say of the delinquency of our own Government, and the neglect of Congress to do justice to the claims of its own citizens, founded on justice. He then explained and advocated the bill for the relief of Nathaniel and Benjamin Goddard, the claim growing out of the seizure of the ship *Ariadner*, in 1812.

Mr. George Taylor, of New-York, reviewed the correspondence on the subject of our Central American relations, showing the inconsistency and contradictory course pursued by England, and her object; which he believed to be to defeat our policy, and secure a firmer footing on the Isthmus. He doubted their good faith in seeking to avoid a direct issue on the Clayton-Bulwer treaty by negotiating with the weak States of Central America, and not directly with this Government. He advocated the abrogation of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty, and a more decided policy on our part, as due to the interests and honor of this nation. He reviewed the history of the Monroe doctrine, and explained the circumstances under which it was announced, and the necessity of it at the time as well as its importance now. He sustained the President's Message throughout.

Mr. Morris, of Illinois, explained his bill giving the people of the organized Territories authority to elect their Judges, Governors, and all other officers, and providing for the formation of a State Constitution, when there is a sufficient population to elect one Representative in Congress. He had hoped the old issue on Lecompton would have been allowed to sleep, but it had been revived by the President. The Democracy of Illinois had been always brave and faithful, and yet a hostile policy has been pursued toward them by the Administration. The guillotine has been at work, and the places of good men have been supplied by miserable scoundrels and sycophants, and this he could prove.

Mr. Washburne of Illinois asked: Do I understand that such persons have been appointed by the present Administration?

Mr. Morris replied that he did not assert that the character of those individuals was known to the Heads of the Departments, but it is a fact that they were appointed to office. The passage of his bill would quiet the Slavery agitation in Congress.

Mr. Ritchie, of Pennsylvania, characterized the election of Judges and Governors in the Territories as absurd, and referred to Utah to show what would be its unfavorable operation there.

Mr. Morris said that Mr. Ritchie could offer an amendment exempting Utah from the operation of the bill.

Mr. Davis of Mississippi, asked and obtained leave to print his speech. Its subject was not mentioned.

Mr. Wilson, of Virginia, gave some reasons why he was opposed to the revival of specific duties.

The Committee rose.

The House then passed the Invalid Pension and West Point Appropriation bills.

Mr. Morris, of Pennsylvania, gave notice of his intention to introduce a bill laying specific duties on a certain class of imports, and so amendatory of the present tariff as to furnish increased revenue to the Treasury, and proper protection to the labor and industry of the country.

Mr. Davis, of Mississippi, asked leave, but objection was made, to offer a resolution instructing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to report a bill authorizing the President to take possession of Cuba until satisfaction is given for the insults offered on the persons and property of our citizens.

Adjourned.

United States Supreme Court.

WASHINGTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Notice was given that the Court would adjourn on Friday until the Tuesday following.

No. 268.—James O'Hara *vs.* Winslow & Co. Error to the Circuit Court for the Western District of Pennsylvania. Cause docketed, and dismissed with costs.

No. 29.—Daniel H. Lownsdale, *et al. vs.* Josiah L. Parrish.—Argument concluded for the appellants.

No. 38.—Mary Ann Thomas *vs.* James Lawson's heirs. Cause submitted on record and printed arguments for both parties.

No. 31.—Frederick L. Barreda and Brother *vs.* Bengam H. Silsbee *et al.*—Argument commenced for the plaintiffs, and continued for the defendants.

The California Overland Mail.

ST. LOUIS, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The Overland Mail, with San Francisco dates of the 25th ultimo, four days later, has arrived here. The news is unimportant.

Three passengers by the Overland Mail from Kansas City reached Stockton Nov. 24. They were fifty-one days out.

The Mohave and Navajoe Indians were hostile and troublesome.

Victoria dates are to the 17th, and Portland dates to the 13th ult.

John Nugent, U. S. Special Agent, had published an address to the citizens of the United States in British Columbia, in the Victoria *Gazette*, in which he speaks of the injustice and oppression Americans had received at the hands of the Colonial authorities, saying it was his intention to lay the matter before the authorities at Washington.

Mr. Nugent had arrived at San Francisco, and would leave for Washington in the next steamer.

Business generally was inactive at San Francisco.

The passengers report encountering snow fifteen inches deep on the Apache Cañon, beyond El Paso, and that ice was floating in the Rio Grande.

The Southern Pacific Railroad Convention

NEW-ORLEANS, Tuesday, Dec. 21.

The stockholders of the Southern Pacific Railroad met again this evening. Mr. Chilton offered a resolution making stockholders show how they obtained their stock, whether for money or for services rendered to the Company. This was discussed and withdrawn, when President Fowlkes made a documentary statement of his transactions with the Company, but before he got through, his leading opponent interrupted him, and expressed the satisfaction he felt at what he had done.

President Morton arrived during the evening session of the Convention, and addressed the stockholders in regard to paying up.

The Atlantic Telegraph Cable—Fresh Rumors.

TRINITY BAY, N. F., Tuesday, Dec. 21.

We have received well-marked currents from Valentia to-day, but have had nothing that was intelligible since Saturday.

C. W. DE SAUTY, Electrician.

The Official Canvass.

ALBANY, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The following are the official footings on the State ticket, as now finally announced by the Board of State Canvassers:

FOR GOVERNOR.			
Morgan	247,953	Burrows	60,880
Parker	230,513	Smith	5,470
FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.			
Campbell	250,834	Benton	62,336
Taylor	229,796	Beers	2,187
FOR CANAL COMMISSIONER.			
Gardner	249,933	Thompson	59,919
Piper	229,848	Harrington	1,801
FOR INSPECTOR OF STATE PRISONS.			
Everest	222,398	Russell	52,000
Donnelly	202,361	Filer	1,690
ON CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION.			
Yes	135,266	No	144,526

Indiana Legislature.

INDIANAPOLIS, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The House, yesterday, refused to pass the Senatorial Election bill, over the Governor's veto, by yeas 49, nays 48, two less than a constitutional majority.

The Indiana Legislature—Election of United States Senators.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The Legislature this afternoon by concurrent resolution, elected Henry S. Lane and Wm. M. McCarty, United States Senators in the place of Senators Bright and Fitch, the former till 1863, and the latter till 1861.

Sinking of the Steamer Peter Tellow.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The steamer *Peter Tellow*, from this city for New-Orleans, sunk in the Mississippi, near Greenville, to-day. It is believed no lives were lost.

Southern Ocean-Steamer Movements.

SAVANNAH, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The screw steamship *Montgomery*, of Cromwell's line, arrived yesterday, the 21st inst.

CITY INTELLIGENCE.

THE LECTURE OF DR. HOLMES.—A most interesting lecture was delivered last evening at Clinton Hall, before the Young Men's Christian Union and a crowded audience, by Dr. Oliver Wendell Holmes. The subject chosen by the lecturer was "The Chief End of Man," and in elucidating his views he examined and illustrated the different avowed aims of life—such as happiness, the one idea of savage life; self-development, as shown in the life of the scholar; self-mastery, as taught by the moralist; self-fusion with humanity, or the good of the race, and communion with the Divinity. But while each of these was recognized as a part of the scheme of life no one was in itself and for itself a sufficient and absolute guide. The essential difficulty consisted in the fact of the vast difference of race, of condition, of individual fitness for one or another mode of being. The nearest approach to a formula that he (the lecturer) could yet arrive at, was that the end of life was to establish the most perfect harmony between man and the universe to which he belongs. For this the laws impressed on the body, the intelligence, the emotions, the social and religious nature had to be learned and obeyed, one or the other asserting its preëminence according to the special conditions of the individual; from the rudimentary life of the savage up to that of the Christian philosopher. So that if it were necessary to say in a line what each man and all men were made for, it would be that their reason was given to find the place meant for each one of them, in the order of Providence, and conscience, and will, to enable them to fill it to the best advantage, and thus necessarily to the glory of the Creator. It was asserted, we believe, by a Boston print, that this lecture of Dr. Holmes was, in its tendencies, opposed to the theories of revealed Christianity. We cannot imagine upon what ground a statement so utterly erroneous was made. The lecture is the very reverse of what is alleged against it. In points of doctrine it is most orthodox, and breathes throughout a spirit of genuine Christianity.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.—The Board last evening concurred with the Councilmen in confirming the award of the contract to Richard C. Welden for repairing the pier at the west side of Gouverneur-slip, No. 52 East River, at $2,090. The Committee on Ordinances made a report, which was laid over, in favor of amending the "ordinance to reorganize the Finance Department," by fixing the salary of the Comptroller at $5,000, that of his Clerk at $2,000, and appointing a Deputy Collector, with a salary of $2,500, (instead of $3,000, as at first proposed,) per annum. The Board confirmed the appointment of Stephenson Towle to the officer of City Surveyor. It was agreed that the name of Hammersly-street should be changed to "Houston-street," inasmuch as it was a continuation of the street of that name. On motion to concur with the Board of Councilmen in fixing the licenses of City cars at $50 a piece for the large cars, and $25 a piece for the small cars, instead of $50, as the Aldermen at first proposed for all the City cars, a lengthy debate arose. The crowding of the cars was vigorously protested against by several Aldermen, who were for forcing the Railroad Companies to carry a reasonable number of passengers and no more. After several amendments had been put and lost, the Board concurred with the Councilmen, (Ayes 11, Nays 4.) The provision takes effect immediately. Alderman Boole now moved that the Board concur with the Councilmen in giving the Metropolitan Gas Company permission to lay mains through the streets of the City notwithstanding the veto of the Mayor. A letter was thereupon read by Alderman Starr, from the President of the Manhattan Gas-light Company, asking to be heard before the Board should pass upon this matter, and moved that the subject be referred to a Special Committee. This motion, however, was lost, and the Board concurred with the Councilmen, (Ayes 13, Nays 2.) The Aldermen will meet again to-night.

BOARD OF COUNCILMEN.—In the Board of Councilmen, last evening, Mr. Terence Farley, as the lowest bidder, received the contract for regulating and flagging Fifth-avenue between Forty-ninth and Sixty-first streets. An invitation to attend the Annual Ball of Engine Company No. 18 on the 30th inst. was accepted. The Receivers of Taxes, in compliance with a resolution of the Board, reported the following amounts as taxes upon their personal property paid by the City Railroad Companies: Eighth-avenue, $9,385 34; Sixth-avenue, $8,456 73; Third-avenue, $12,593 96; Second-avenue, $664 45; Hudson River, $1,467 34; Harlem, $815 19. Total, $33,381 01. The report was received and entered on the minutes. The report of the Cable Committee in favor of publishing the minutes of the celebration, under the direction of the Clerk of the Board, was called up, and laid on the table. A resolution was introduced deprecating the discharge of the workmen on the Central Park, and requesting the Commissioners to continue to employ the present complement of men until the 1st of May next, at $1 per day. After a rambling discussion, the resolution was adopted. An ordinance returned by the Aldermen, permitting the Harlem Railroad Company to run their engines to the machine-shop on Thirty-second-street, was concurred in. Adjourned to this evening.

COMMISSIONERS OF EMIGRATION.—A regular meeting of the Board was held yesterday, but no business of importance was transacted. During the year and up to the 15th inst., 76,587 emigrants had arrived, and it appears from the usual weekly statement, that from that period to the 22d inst., 682 more had come, making a total to date of 77,269, a decrease of 110,696 from the emigration of last year. The number of inmates of the institutions is 1,183. The balance of Commutation fund is $16,436.

THE TELEGRAPHIC CHESS MATCH.—The second game of the match between New-York and Philadelphia was revived last evening—the New-Yorkers occupying the same quarters at the Rotunda of the Exchange. The game was taken up at the 20th move, Philadelphia playing as follows:

	PHILADELPHIA.	NEW-YORK.
20.	K R to K sq	P takes P
21.	B takes P	P to Q B 4
22.	B to K 5	Q R to K sq
23.	B to K Kt 3	Q to Q Kt 2
24.	Kt to K 5	P to Q 5
25.	Q to Q B 4	B to Q 4
26.	Q to Q R 4	R to K 3
27.	Kt to K Kt 4	P to Q R 4

The game was here adjourned to Tuesday evening next. There was but a slight attendance of spectators. According to present appearance, it would seem as though this game also would result in a "draw."

SPARRING EXHIBITION—THE WOOD AND HEENAN CHALLENGE.—There was quite a large attendance at Hoym's Theatre last evening, on the occasion of a benefit being given to John Wood, of Boston, who has, in a manner, accepted Heenan's challenge to fight any man in the world. There were several sparring matches by a number of pugilistic notabilities, which caused considerable amusement, but the most exciting feature of the exhibition was the set-to between John Wood and John Morrissey, which continued for several rounds, and elicited great applause from the lovers of such sports. It was announced, during the evening, that Mr. Wood had put up $50 at the office of a sporting paper, as an earnest of the seriousness of his intentions, in offering to take up Heenan's glove. On the other hand, it is published that Heenan, having issued his challenge, has put up $500 at the office of another sporting paper, to be covered by any one choosing to accept his challenge, within 10 days. The card that was published yesterday in the "sporting column" of the New-York *Tribune*, purporting to be a card from Thomas Hyer, accepting Heenan's challenge to fight for $10,000, was bogus. Hyer says that somebody must have imposed upon Mr. Greeley, as he saw the card for the first time when he read it in the *Tribune*.

THE LATE CAPTAIN LUDLOW.—The flags upon the shipping in this port were yesterday displayed at half-mast on account of the death of Captain C. D. Ludlow. A dispatch from Mr. Pillsbury, U. S. Consul at Halifax, states that the remains of Capt. Ludlow were on board the *Ariel*, and would be brought to New-York.

THE FARMERS' CLUB.—At the usual weekly meeting of the Club, held on Tuesday evening, the national value of the Chinese sugar-cane was discussed. Mr. Olcott, who has gathered valuable information on this subject at home and abroad, stated that for forage, for syrup, and for sugar, the cane will grow here from Maine to Texas. It has peculiar advantages in our hot, dry summer, for it will flourish when corn suffers and forage is scorched up. It makes excellent feed when sown broadcast; grasshoppers will not touch it, and it is capital nourishment for hogs. There are about 20,000 pounds on one acre, which will feed forty hogs for forty-five days. Mr. Olcott thought that, in five years' time, the West could export sugar made from this cane. Professor Mapes then spoke of the sugar, and gave an interesting historical sketch, which was listened to with great attention. In the course of his remarks, he alluded to the fact that the molasses of the cane-sugar contained a villainous amount of extract from myriads of worms and insects—an evil from which the Sorghum is exempt. The latter does not acetify, and can be made into excellent cider.

MOVEMENTS AT THE NAVY-YARD.—All the officers of the *Niagara* have been detached, with the exception of Capt. Chauncey and the Chief Engineer, Mr. Faron, both of whom will probably be continued at their posts until the repairs and alterations about to be undertaken are completed. The officers of the *St. Louis* have all received orders, and are on their way to report for duty. The seamen intended for her are all ready on board the *North Carolina*, where there are now about 1,000 in readiness for different commands. The steamers *America* and *Canada*, it it is finally decided, are to be fitted out for Paraguay. The *Brooklyn* is expected at the Yard to-day, to receive her outfit.

RAPID NAVAL PROMOTION.—By the restoration of the officers of the Naval Retired List, Sergeant Gibson, of our Harbor Police, steps at once from that humble position, the commander of a small row-boat, to be a Commander in the Navy. The case of this officer was one of peculiar hardship; he returned from a three years' cruise in the Mediterranean as first Lieutenant of the sloop-of-war *St. Louis*, to find himself turned out of the service, or what was equivalent to the same thing, without a charge of any kind having been preferred against him. Being without employment, on the organization of our Harbor Police he accepted the position of Sergeant of that part of the Metropolitan force, for which he was well qualified.

THE CITY GUARD.—This splendid body of citizen soldiery, under the command of Capt. W. H. Hallick, made an excellent parade yesterday. They turned out very strong—about eighty rank and file—and were accompanied by Dodworth's Band. They wore their fine Winter uniform, dark blue overcoat with bearskin cap, and presented a showy and martial appearance.

Police Reports.

THE ALLEGED RAPE AT JERSEY CITY.—The young girl, who gives her name as Ann Rooney, and who was admitted to the Hospital a few days since in a state of insensibility, caused, as she alleged, by a brutal outrage committed upon her person at Jersey City, proves to be insane, and her whole story is most probably a fabrication. She was sent, yesterday morning, to the Lunatic Asylum on Blackwell's Island. The case altogether is a remarkable one. A medical examination of the girl was made shortly after her admission by Dr. Shroder, the house surgeon of the Hospital. It was then ascertained that she had been subjected to no such violence as that complained of, and it soon became evident that she was laboring under a violent attack of *nymphomodia*, which had assumed the rather unusual phase of the hysteric form. All that could be done was to detain her at the Hospital until the intensity of the hallucination had subsided, after which, as stated above, she was sent to the Lunatic Asylum, to undergo extended curative treatment. After the publication of the report of the alleged rape in last Thursday's TIMES, the President of the Jersey City Ferry Company caused inquiries to be made as to the truthfulness of the story—the girl having stated that the rape was committed inside of the Ferry gate, and the fact having been thus published, Sergeant Dickson, of the New-York Detective Police, also commenced making inquiries into the case, his object being to discover and arrest the supposed authors of the outrage. These inquiries resulted in the discovery that there had been no rape committed inside of the ferry gate, and that there were no brutal ravishers to be arrested. The girl whose insane story excited such commisseration for herself, and indignation against her supposed abusers, is about twenty two years of age. She is of Irish parentage and of very prepossessing appearance. She gives no coherent history of herself, and all her statements are confused and contradictory. About three years ago she was sent to the Insane Asylum on Blackwell's Island, and was confined there seven months. Her insanity then took the form of a religious mania. After leaving the Asylum she went to Boston and was there employed as a domestic in several families. Where she has worked or lived since is unknown.

CONDITION OF THE STABBED AT THE CITY HOSPITAL.—The past few days have been unusually prolific in stabbing cases. Six persons are now lying at the City Hospital, suffering from the effects of violent stabs. Charles Benedict and Daniel B. Bryant, who were stabbed with a sword at the Arcade Saloon in Grand-street, are both doing well, but neither are considered out of danger. Frederick Carnstere, who was stabbed by a girl of the town at No. 118 Centre-street, is believed to have passsd the critical point, and hopes are entertained of his recovery. Christopher Goff, who was knocked down by a gang of rowdies at the corner of Broadway and Worth-street, robbed and stabbed, is in a fair way to get well. Timothy Dillon, who was stabbed with a paper knife by a boy on Saturday last, is not yet deemed out of danger, evidences of inflammation having shown themselves. In the case of Eliza Titus, the colored woman who was stabbed in Baxter-street, the symptoms are favorable. Joanna Murphy, the servant girl of Mr. Gouldy, is nearly well.

STILL ANOTHER COUNTERFEIT.—Last evening, about dusk, a man called into the bookstore of G. A. Zabriskie, No. 301 Spring-street, and made a few purchases, and tendered in payment a $5 bill on the Traders' Bank of Newport, R. I. He received the change and departed. It was ascertained afterwards that the bill was counterfeit. The bill is well engraved, but the printing looks pale. The vignette is a spread eagle in the foreground, with a ship under full sail, and a city in the distance—unlike the genuine. Several more of the bills were offered in the Eighth Ward, but refused, as their true character was discovered. Three women, named Mary Frink, Julia Arnold and Barbary Shorte were arrested at Tarrytown, last evening, by Officer Lawrence, for passing four of the bills; and it is thought the shopkeepers in towns all along the Hudson River were victimized, as it was ascertained that there was a concerted plan to flood all the small towns this side of Albany with the trash. The Police of this City made no arrests.

ASSAULT BY A LATE ALDERMANIC CANDIDATE.—John O'Sullivan, a runner for Enright's "Farmers' Hotel," in Cedar-street, was yesterday set upon, knocked down, his face stamped on, and his nose broken, by William Enright, brother of the proprietor, and late candidate for Alderman of the First Ward. The assault grew out of a refusal of O'Sullivan to divide his commissions with Enright. The Mayor held the pugnacious person to bail in $500, and O'Sullivan was sent to the Hospital.

The Stabbing Case in Mulberry-street.

NEW-YORK, Wednesday, Dec. 22, 1858.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

In regard to the stabbing affray in Mulberry-street, reported in your issue of this date, I wish to state the facts as they occurred. It is true that I invited a few friends on the occasion of my opening a new liquor store, but as regards black eyes and bloody noses, there was nothing of the kind whatever. The facts are simply these: The man Carroll was not among the invited party, but simply an outsider, and by behaving in a disorderly manner was ordered out of the house by me. Then the party began to enjoy themselves again, and, long afterwards, when everything was peaceable, a few of the party went outside the door and walked towards the corner of Hester-street, not thinking, for a moment, that anything would occur, when all of a sudden, Carroll, as they allege, rushed from behind some hiding place and stabbed the first man he met. The first I knew of the occurrence was by Mr. Tracy coming back to my house bleeding from the wound. So you will perceive that the stabbing took place about half a block from my house. By inserting the above correction you will much oblige, yours, respectfully,

PATRICK McGARRY.

PATENT DECISION.—The interference in the principle for ladies' expansion or extension skirts, between Osborn & Vincent, skirt manufacturers of this City, and Douglas & Sherman, W. S. Thomson, and others, has finally been decided in favor of Messrs. Osborn & Vincent, to whom a patent has been granted.—*Tribune.*

THE PILGRIM FATHERS.

Three Hundred and Thirty-Eighth Anniversary.

Speeches of Gov. Morgan and Others.

On the 22d of December, 1620, the Pilgrim Fathers first set foot on Plymouth Rock. In perpetuation of a time-honored custom established in this City some fifty-eight years ago, the sons of New-England, who have spent their maturer years, and have won their ample fortunes on the soil of the Knickerbockers, met last night in the Astor House to refresh the memories of their youth, and commemorate the sufferings and the triumphs of their ancestors. In point of numbers, the company of last night has had few precedents. About two hundred and fifty gentlemen sat down to a repast in regard to which it could only be objected that among such a multitude of delicacies the guest was often at a loss to discriminate. The wines comprised the choicest vintages of Charles Heidsick, the Willoughby Maderia and the rarest and most costly German brands. In all its features, intellectual or sensuous, the banquet was a splendid one.

At the principal table sat the Society's President, Mr. Benj. W. Bonney; on either side of him the invited guests. Among these were Mayor Tiemann, the Rev. Dr. Osgood, the Rev. Dr. Adams, the Rev. W. H. Milburn, the Rev. Mr. Burlingame, the Rev. Dr. Hitchcock, the Rev. M. Hale Smith, Mr. Gulian C. Verplanck of the St. Nicholas Society, Mr. E. F. Ward of the St. George's, Senator Sloan of the St. Patrick's, Mr. Frazer of the German Society, Mr. Joseph Hoxie, Mr. Depeyster Ogden, Mr. De Cordova, Major Sprague, U. S. A., Mr. Charles Hale, of Boston, Mr. Erastus Brooks, and others.

In response to regular toasts excellent addresses were made by Mayor Tiemann, the Rev. Dr. Burlingame, of Boston; the Rev. Mr. Milburn, the Hon. Erastus Brooks, Chas. Hale, Esq., of the Boston *Advertiser*, (who was called up by some very complimentary remarks on the part of Wm. M. Evarts, Esq.,) Major Sprague, U. S. A., the Rev. M. Hale Smith, the Presidents of the sister Benevolent Societies of New-York, and others. Congratulatory dispatches were received from the New-England Societies of New-Orleans and Montreal, to which the President sent appropriate replies. At a somewhat advanced hour in the evening, the Hon. E. D. Morgan, the Governor elect of this State, entered the room, and was received with vehement cheers. On being introduced by the President, he said: I come here to-night to exchange congratulations with the members of the New-England Society and with other friends whose habit it has been to meet in this dining-hall, as it has been mine on each returning anniversary of Forefathers' Day. But I should be unjust to myself and to you if I did not make my foremost acknowledgments for this cordial response. Allusion has been made by the President of your Society to an official position which, from the partiality of friends, I shall soon be called to occupy. I am under the deepest obligation to the people of New-York for this position, having been the recipient of unmixed kindness and confidence during the 22 years I have resided among you, for which a mere word of thanks is a very inadequate return. I do not know of anything that so cheers and inspires the heart of any man, whether in public or in private station, as the knowledge that he has the confidence and the sympathy of those immediately around him, his neighbors and his fellow-citizens. [Cheers.] There never was a man who had more cause to feel proud of his constituents than I have, and never were constituents having a stronger claim upon the labor, the zeal, the devotion to their interests of their representative, than you have. But it is not to me, individually; it is not to me in any party aspect; it is not to me as a merchant, even, that this compliment, if I may call it so, has been intended, but to me as soon to be a representative of this State of New-York; a representative of all its interests, including your interests, which are no inconsiderable part of them all. [Cheers.] You believe that I will be a faithful representative; you believe that I will discharge every duty, and that I will do so everywhere and at every time, according to the best of my ability. Such is my intention. [Cheers.] And in doing so I hope to be sustained by the virtuous and good men of all parties in this great City. [Loud cheers.] I have ever believed it to be the duty of a representative to be in close communication with his constituents; to confer with them freely and frankly, and, so far as it shall be consistent with his own sense of right and justice, to make their will his will; to omit what they would have him omit, and to perform what they would have him perform. [Cheers.] Now, carrying these views into practice, whatever else was expected from me by those who went to the polls on the 2d of November last, dinner speech-making was certainly not one of them. [Cheers.] Intending, then to be obedient and loyal in this as in all other things, and not wishing, at least before my term of office commences, to run counter to your wishes and expectations, I shall not, gentlemen, detain you longer. [Loud and prolonged cheering.]

Numerous volunteer toasts were afterwards offered and responded to, so that the night was far advanced when the company separated.

As a part of the current history of the Society it may be well to state that at a business meeting held in the forenoon of yesterday, the following named gentlemen were elected officers for the ensuing year:

President—Wm. M. Evarts.

Vice Presidents—1st. Henry A. Hurlbut. 2d. Charles A. Stetson.

Counsellors—Edwin D. Morgan, William Curtis Noyes, Wm. N. Blakeman, M. D., S. N. Stebbins.

Assistant Counsellors—L. G. Lockwood, Geo. S. Stephenson, Moses H. Grinnell, Edwin J. Brown, Alex. W. Bradford, Shepherd Knapp, William W. Clay, Wm. K. Strong.

Treasurer—Luther B. Wyman.

Secretary—L. P. Hubbard.

The Tucker and Sickles Affair—Further Correspondence.

The following note, we are informed, was placed in the hands of Mr. Sickles before 3 P. M. of yesterday:

FROM MR. TUCKER TO MR. SICKLES.

AMBOY, N. J., Dec. 22, 1858.

DANIEL E. SICKLES, Esq.—*Sir:* An unmistakable letter from me to you will appear in to-morrow's New-York newspapers, a copy of which I cannot send you without, perhaps, embarrassing the bearer of it. You will understand from this the necessity of reading to-morrow morning's papers in another State, unless you *desire* legal detention in this. Yours,

WEDNESDAY, 1¼ o'clock P. M. J. C. TUCKER.

LETTER REFERRED TO IN THE ABOVE.

DAILY NEWS BUILDINGS, No. 138 Nassau-street,
NEW-YORK CITY, Dec. 22, 1858.

DANIEL E. SICKLES, Esq.—Sir: On the 4th instant I sent you a "note" and "memoranda" of "charge" by my friend, Dr. Ogden, who verbally explained to you what I required.

Mr. Butterworth, your appointed friend, sought to diplomatize upon the guarded and covert phraseology necessarily employed to avoid rendering ourselves amenable to the law; but subsequently, in his letter of Dec. 9, says: "Mr. Sickles considers, and I believe justly, that Mr. Tucker's letter to him amounts *to a challenge*." You were a long time arriving at a plain conclusion, and were, even then, desirous of making "satisfactory explanations" *for insulting allusions to the dead!* Most men would have fought first, and explained—afterward.

My "note" of Dec. 4 was withdrawn by my friend, to admit of such "explanations," contrary to my wishes. You have placed before the public, through the medium of the Press, our differences and correspondence; I am, therefore, compelled to adopt the same channel of communication in irrevocably renewing my "note" or "challenge" to you, subject, in the fullest sense, to the "hostile" construction which you place upon it. I shall expect to hear from you before the 25th inst.

J. C. TUCKER.

THE SICKLES AND TUCKER AFFAIR.—In Mr. Ogden's Card, published yesterday, a typographical error made him say that the correspondence was surrendered by *him* to Mr. Sickles. It should have read, by Mr. Butterworth.

BROOKLYN INTELLIGENCE.

THE CASE OF "PETE" DAWSON.—In the Court of Sessions, yesterday, Mr. Hadden, counsel for Peter Dawson, who was convicted, last week, of assault and battery, with intent to kill Mr. William J. Potts, moved for a new trial, on the ground that the verdict of the Jury was not in accordance with the evidence. Mr. Hadden urged that, though there was an assault and battery shown by the evidence, there was no evidence whatever of an intent to kill. The Court will give a decision on the motion to-day. Dawson looked cheerful and hopeful while in Court. He complained that he has not had a fair trial in this case, but expects to have another hearing. He has also, according to his own account, been treated very unceremoniously by his wife. While serving out his sentence on Blackwell's Island for keeping the dance-house in the Fourth Ward, New-York, his wife took a fancy to an Irishman, and, with nearly $5,000 of Pete's money, started for Berlin, where they are now supposed to be comfortably settled. As his money, (save $4,500,) was always kept in his wife's name in bank, it was an easy matter for her to draw it, and leave without any proceedings to excite the suspicions of his friends.

SUPREME COURT—GENERAL TERM.—Justices Brown, Emott and Lott have been holding a Term of this Court in Brooklyn during the last week, and have disposed of a large number of cases, besides doing Special Term business. The balance of the Calendar will be disposed of to-day, and the Court will adjourn at 2 o'clock, to enable the Justices to leave town. The Calendar for to-day will be Nos. 90, 113, 115, 118, 119, 123, 124, 126, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135, 137, 138, 139, 145, 146, 147, 148, 95, 150, 151, 153, 154, 155, 157, 158.

THE BENNETT DIVORCE CASE.

Strong Rebutting Testimony.

SEVENTEENTH DAY—[CONCLUDED.]

From Our Own Reporter.

NEW-HAVEN, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

The December Term of the Superior Court began yesterday afternoon. As that Court has a prior claim to the room in which this trial has thus far been held, the Judge adjourned the afternoon session to the Senate Chamber. The Superior Court, however, adjourned until next Monday, so that this case might proceed as before.

James L. Mason, Clerk of the New-Haven School Society, was called, and testified that the note of $4,100, given by the Society to Doctor Bennett, was paid in two installments—one, January 13, 1858, and the balance March 5; the first, he said, he needed, but the balance he wished we should retain; we told him we had made arrangements to pay the whole, and would prefer to do so, which we did.

[This note was the one which Doctor Bennett succeeded in obtaining from Mrs. Bennett subsequent to the settlement.]

Mr. John Richardson was then called to rebut the Doctor's testimony with reference to the exposure of his person to the children while bathing, he having denied being guilty of such a thing. It was found that Mr. R. had no other testimony to offer than that he had already given, and he was not examined.

Dr. Lucius A. Thomas, the City Postmaster, testified that Mrs. Bennett never had a private box or drawer in the Post-Office; Dr. Bennett's drawer in 1855 was one of a case of 25, under the stamp delivery near the front door of the Post-Office; now the witness thought he had none, his correspondence of late having been so small that none of it had passed through Dr. Thomas' hands to his knowledge; he gave up his drawer last July; the drawers are so arranged that the proprietor or any one who has his key can take letters therefrom without the knowledge of the clerks; on the rearrangement of the drawers in 1856, Dr. Bennett's drawer was moved to the window near Union-street; witness would not know whether Mrs. Bennett came frequently to the drawer, though I would know if she came often to the boxes.

Mrs. Maria Graham was examined by Judge Blackman. Q.—If you called on Mrs. North at any time, state when? A.—I called on her with Mrs. Bennett last January; Mrs. Bennett had heard that Mrs. N. had reported around that she had a private drawer in the office; I asked Mrs. N. if she had ever gone to carry letters or take them from the office for Mrs. Bennett; she said she never had; that she knew nothing of this private drawer, and that she never had reported that she had one there; Mrs. B. told Mrs. North she had heard she had been talking about her; that she had said she had been to ride with gentlemen and kept gentlemen's company against the Doctor's wishes; she denied ever having so reported; I asked if she knew anything against Mrs. Bennett's character, and she said she did not; I remained there three-quarters of an hour or an hour; Mrs. North said "What makes you question me so closely, Mrs. B.?" and Mrs. B. replied that she had called to see whether she had ever made such statements, as she heard she had; Mrs. North said, (and this is her own language,) "I know nothing against you, Mrs. B., and how could I say anything."

Q.—Did she say anything about cloth? A.—She said these stories were all made out of whole cloth, [laughter,] and that she had never heard of them before, and added, "Mrs. Bennett, if you think of getting a bill I hope you don't think of subpœnaing me, for I do not know of enough on either side to do you or the Doctor any good in the way of getting a bill; only you know the Doctor was strange sometimes.

Cross-examination.—Gov. Dutton—Q.—What time did this occur? A.—Last January; I don't remember whether in the afternoon or forenoon.

Q.—What did you call on Mrs Bennett for? A.—I called to see Mrs. Bennett.

Q.—Did she ask you to go with her to see Mrs. North? A.—She did.

Q.—Did Mrs. Bennett ask you to notice what Mrs. N. had to say? A.—I could not say that she did or did not.

Q.—Did you talk on any other subject? Yes; Mrs. N. said she was sick.

Q.—After you went out did Mrs. B. ask you to notice what she said? A.—Cannot say that she did.

Q.—Did Mrs. B. question her closely? A.—With regard to the gentleman and the drawer in the Post-Office she did.

Q.—You asked her some questions yourself, did you? A.—Yes.

Q.—Did you do it as Mrs. B.'s particular friend—to aid her? A.—I do not know as I did.

Q.—Did you have any personal interest in the matter? A.—No.

Q.—What particular things were referred to by the stories of gentlemen to which you refer? A.—That she [Mrs. N.,] had said gentlemen called to see her [Mrs. Bennett,] and she did not wish the Doctor to know who had called.

Q.—How should Mrs. Bennett know that story so well? A.—Mrs. North told a lady, the lady told me, and I told Mrs. Bennett. This fact was extorted from the witness after considerable questioning.

J. G. North was called.

Q.—State what you know of a lady having called to see Mrs. North with Mrs. Bennett. A.—I do not recollest the exact time; it was last January; Mrs. North told me, Mrs. Bennett has been to see me, and was very pleasant; "Mrs. Bennet," she said, "is a real nice woman, but the Doctor has abused her most shamefully."

Q.—Have you at any time had a conversation as to the amount of supplies she has received from Dr. B.? A.—She had several times some conversation about it; I heard last Winter that I had an aunt in the city who needed help—I found her and paid her rent and supplied her with $1 to $1 50 per week—and hired a house or a part of a house until the next May; about the first of May I was in the habit of giving her about that amount, or from 75 cents to $1 50 per week; sometimes she would send for it at my office, and if I was not there my clerk always gave her something; after she had moved to this place in Crown-street, I said, "You have not sent for any money lately;" she said "You need not, as you have a great many leaning on you, Dr. B. is very kind to me, he gives me all the money and medicine I want."

Q.—Does Mrs. North smoke? A.—I had rather you would get these answers from some one else, though I believe she does; I have given no money since the 1st of May—though she asked me to speak to the Doctor about getting her some brandy.

Q.—What did the Doctor say? A.—He said he would speak to Mr. Sanford about it and have him see to it.

Cross-examination.—Q.—How long is it since you had some difficulty with the Doctor? A.—I did not speak of any difficulty between Dr. Bennett and myself.

Q.—Did you not intend the Court should understand that there was a difficulty with Doctor Bennett? A.—I will state just what I did state if you wish; he said he would give me five dollars if you would publish him; the matter had nothing to do with the carpets; he did not come for his rent as usual the first day; he said he did not need the money—he had money; the Doctor and I are good friends, and he has spoken to me every day cordially in this Court-room.

Q.—Mr. North, have you not said Dr. B. had better give you those carpets rather than offend you? A.—I will tell you just how that was; I said that it was foolish for the Doctor to make so much trouble about those carpets, and that it would injure him in this case very much; I thought it was very cruel in him to come while there was a dying girl and a dying man in the house.

Q.—Did you not use this expression in speaking to Mrs. North: "As matters are between you and me, I do not want you to go and testify?" A.—I used no such expression.

Here the witness attempted to put in an explanation, but was checked.

Q.—When did you first learn you had an aunt in this city? A.—Some girls in Mr. Winchester's shirt factory said they were subscribing for the support of an aunt of mine.

Q.—Did you not call on Deacon Benjamin, of the College-street Church, in order to interest the members of that church in her? A.—No, Sir; Mr. Benjamin told me they were giving her a dollar a week, or a dollar a month, I forget which, for her support.

Q.—Have you not more than once been to her to dissuade her from testifying? A.—No.

Q.—When did you last call on her? A.—Cannot say whether it was before or since I testified; she says it was since.

Q.—Did you go to Mrs. North and tell her all Mrs. Bennett wanted was the house and the horses? A.—No; Mrs. B. never had half a dozen words with me in my life, and never told me what she wanted.

Joseph Sheldon was examined by Judge Blackman—Q.—There was some testimony given about your being in Mrs. B.'s private apartments; what have you to say on that subject? A.—As stated by Dr. B., the story is totally false; there is not the shadow of foundation for it. [Sensation.]

There being some dispute with regard to the form in which Dr. B. had put the original statement, Mr Blackman said that as there was so much caterwauling [laughter] about the testimony generally, he would get his own copy, which he did.

Gov. Baldwin read the statement from his copy, which coincided with that recorded by the others. Judge Blackman re-read the testimony, and asked Mr. Sheldon what he had to say of it.

Mr. Sheldon—It is a fine fabrication; I know but one fact that can afford ground for such a statement, and that is that I drew this petition for divorce and have endeavored to prepare this case. [Laughter.]

Q.—How about his turning you out of his house? A.—I went at the suggestion of Mr. Foster and Mrs. B. to remonstrate with the Doctor against urging Mrs. B. to give up the deeds; he said that if I had come to talk about the deeds he wished to have no conversation with me; he never said to me, "Sheldon, there is the door," nor did he ever say, "there is the hall door," nor "Sheldon, now you are on the sidewalk, never come in my house again;" Mr. Bennett has moreover stated that I introduced Mr. Smith to his family July 4, 1851; I never introduced Mr. Horace Smith to his family at all at any time.

Gov. Dutton—I think he is wrong in saying that Dr. Bennet made that statement.

Mr. Sheldon—I am certainly not wrong; Horace Smith was acquainted with the family about six months before this; I first became acquainted with Dr. Bennett at the time before spoken of, when he came across the street and introduced himself to me; I was first introduced to Mrs. Bennett by a young lady with whom I was acquainted, in the aisle of the North Church, at a lecture given there by Gough; Dr. B. has also stated that Smith and I used to go to his house with other company, and that he was excluded from our society; it is not at all true of his house, nor of any other place; he was always close by me, and on my left hand, because he could hear better with his right ear; the time that this settlement before referred was agreed to the Doctor has made some statements about counsel.

Q.—Were you there at the time he told Mr. Foster he would go to see Mr. Dutton, and Mr. Foster told him if he went he should go too? A.—It was never said in my presence; there was something suggested to Dr. B. by Mr. Foster about calling on Mr. Ives, and

(Mr. F.) asked me to call on him on my way up; Dr. B. said he did not think it worth while.

Q.—Was there anything said about his not paying anything more? A.—I think he said that he had been to enough expense.

Q.—Have you anything further to state? A.—About the "big bug" party, the statement of the Doctor that I boasted of having come from the avenue folks is a pure invention of the Doctor's fancy.

Cross-examination by Gov. Dutton.—Q.—Do you mean to say that you have never been in any of the chambers of the Doctor's house? A.—Certainly not; I have been in the upper rooms; Doctor himself has taken me up there to show me the torn clothes, and came to the office to get me to go.

Q.—When did she first talk to you of the divorce? A.—In the Summer of '54.

Q.—Did you ever have any talk with her at the house on the subject? A.—Not that I recollect.

Q.—When did she first call at your office? A.—I think in the Fall or Winter of '55.

Q.—Did you suggest to her to note down these offences of the Doctor? A.—I certainly did not, for I was always trying to dissuade her from taking any steps towards a divorce.

Q.—Do you say that you never met the Doctor coming up stairs while you were going down? A.—Never that I have the slightest remembrance of.

Q.—Did you say that you never sat down in her bed-room? A.—I have sat down in the room when I was trying to make peace about the torn dresses.

Q.—Did the Doctor never intimate to you that your presence was disagreeable? A.—Never in the world except in connection with the deeds; when I brought a suit against Mr. Richards on behalf of a servant girl and factorized Dr. Bennett, as he was the only one who owed Mr. Richards enough to pay the debt, the Doctor was offended, and since has met me, I may say, very furiously. [Laughter.]

Q.—Did you not go to a daughter of Mrs. North and try to get her to persuade her mother not to give her testimony here? A.—No; I went to her to see whether Mrs. North smoked opium, and found that she did. [Laughter.]

Gov. Dutton—Stop; stop; that is not answering my question.

Mr. Sheldon—All I wanted was to give you what you asked for.

Gov. Dutton—Well, don't go too far.

Mr. Sheldon—It is not my fault if you get more than you ask for. [Excessive laughter.]

[The Court here said that a member of the Bar should be allowed to purge himself of any charges which might be brought against him.]

Judge Blackman asked with reference to the statement of Dr. Bennett, that his wife on a certain occasion came from the Court with an oath in her mouth.

Mr. Sheldon said that he came from the Court on the occasion referred to with Mrs. Bennett, and that the only oath she had in her mouth was the one administered by the Justice. [Laughter.]

Some dispute arose as to whether the Doctor made any such statement as that referred to.

Q.—Did you ever see Mrs. Bennett when she was not in full dress? A.—Never in the world; I never saw the slightest thing in Mrs. B. not perfectly pure and proper.

Mrs. Jane Sanford was called:

Q.—Did you ever see Mrs. North with opium? A.—I have; she made it her home in my family in '56 and '57; she came to our house in December, '56, and staid till September, '57; she acted as nurse in different families, but was with us, I think, six months out of the ten.

A question was here raised for the fifteenth time, as Judge Blackman said, as to whether the testimony previously taken would justify the introduction of this testimony.

Judge WALDO finally said that he would take the testimony *de bene*, and let the notes be brought in in the morning.

Mrs. Sanford proceeded—She used to smoke opium and tobacco both; and that, too, very often;—once I asked her what she did with opium, and she said she put it in her teeth; after she had done smoking, she appeared like a crazy or intoxicated person—

Gov. Baldwin thought this was going too far, and asked the ruling of the Court. It was decided out of order, and the Court adjourned until 9 o'clock Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.

A lengthy discussion took place this morning at the opening of Court as to the admissibility of Mrs. Jane Sanford's testimony with reference to Mrs. North's habit of taking opium. Governor Baldwin quoted the TIMES' report as fully establishing his view of the case, and complimented its accuracy. The Court finally decided that the testimony was on a collateral point, and that it must not be admitted.

At this point Judge Blackman read a note which he had received from Mrs. Bennett, stating that her child which yesterday seemed to be getting better, had had a relapse, and that it was now at the point of death. The note also said that she (Mrs. B.) was entirely without means, and that the lady with whom she was staying had gone to considerable expense in boarding her.

Judge Blackman, after having read the note, said that for four nights Mrs. Bennett had not slept three hours a night, and that night before last she did not retire till 5½ o'clock. During the whole course of the trial Mrs. Bennett had taken notes of the testimony herself. He thought it remarkable that she had borne up as she has.

The Court said that he could not of course compel the attendance of Mrs. Bennett under such circumstances, and he felt confident the counsel for the respondent would not desire it.

Gov. Dutton—Certainly not.

Mr. Blackman said that yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock (here Mr. Ingersoll pulled his coat tail to check him) they were surprised by a telegraphic dispatch, which led them to expect some other testimony. In the afternoon they might have one or two witnesses to introduce, so that the time of the Court might at least be partially occupied.

A recess was then taken until 2 P. M.

What effect this unexpected turn in affairs may have upon the final issue of the trial remains to be seen.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDAR—THURSDAY, Dec 23.

SUPREME COURT.—*Circuit*—*Part I.*—Nos. 1326, 2370, 2501, 2503, 2507, 2513, 2515, 2517, 2519, 2519½, 2521, 2525, 2527, 2529, 2531, 2533, 2537, 2543, 2547. *Part II.*—Nos. 2624, 127, 808, 744, 1758, 2794, 2320, 1461, 2851, 2856, 646, 2711, 2484, 2810.

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COMMON PLEAS—*Part I.*—(Hilton, J., without a Jury.)—Nos. 271, 290, 349, 350, 353, 354, 359, 362, 363, 365, 366, 367, 419, 426, 438, 418, 511 to 519 inclusive. *Part II.*—(Daly, J., without a Jury.)—Nos. 388, 397, 400, 409, 46, 467, 468, 492, 494 to 510.

SUPERIOR COURT.—Adjourned for the term.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—DEC. 22.

Before Judge Ingersoll.

INDICTMENTS.

The Grand Jury this morning brought in indictments in the following cases:

The United States vs. Henry Reed.—An Indictment for embezzling letters from the Post-Office.

The United States vs. Charles W. Mading.—An indictment for embezzling letters containing money.

The United States vs. Martin V. Shears.—An indictment for counterfeiting quarter dollars.

The United States vs. Edward Edwards and others.—An indictment for a similar offence.

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Robert P. Smith et al. vs. D. G. Johnson.—This was a motion for an injunction. The complainants alleging that they had been for some time back making and publishing maps of the several Counties of this State, and were preparing a large map of the State from such County maps, which they had expected to publish early in the Spring; that the defendant had by combining the plaintiffs' County maps also prepared a large map of the State, which they complained of as an infringement of their copy-right, and prayed for an injunction to prevent the respondent from so infringing.

The motion for a preliminary injunction came on to be heard this morning. Affidavits were read on both sides, and the motion was argued by Judge Conklin for complainants and Mr. Cutler for respondents.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Before Judge Clerke.

DIVORCE CASES.

Jacob Kneisel vs. Victoria Kneisel.—Judgment of divorce granted.

Before Judge Balcom.

Josephine I. Dumon vs. John J. Dumon.—Divorce granted.

DECISIONS.

In re Henry Jones, Jr., Assignee of Wm. A. Beecher.—Order granted.

Before Judge Clerke.

Dayton Andrews et al. vs. Philander W. Stebbins et al.—This case cannot be settled until the defendants' attorneys comply with the provision of Rule 36 of the New Code.

The Reynolds Street-Contracts—Complaint Dismissed.

SUPREME COURT—DEC. 20.

Before the Hon. John L. Mason, Referee.

David S. Condit, assignee &c., vs. The Mayor &c., of New-York.—This was an action brought by the plaintiff, as assignee of Wm. Ross Reynolds, to recover damages to the amount of $80,000 against the City, for breach by the City of twelve alleged contracts with Reynolds for cleaning the streets during the year 1857. The cause was tried before the Hon. JOHN L. MASON, as Referee. After the close of the plaintiff's proofs, Mr. Busteed, the Counsel to the Corporation, moved for a nonsuit on the following grounds: 1. That admitting the contract to have been made as alleged, the plaintiff has himself shown an entire failure on his part to perform. 2. There is no evidence of any contract, binding on the defendants, having been entered into. On the first ground alone, the Referee held that the defendant's motion for the dismissal of the complaint must be granted.

COURT OF GENERAL SESSIONS.

Before the Hon. Recorder Barnard.

The trial of William Tileson for the alleged manslaughter of Christian Mathewbacker, was resumed yesterday morning. The defence amounted to little more than the production of witnesses to prove the good character of the accused, as a peaceable man, of general good conduct. The Recorder, in his charge to the Jury, said that during the examination of the witnesses for the prosecution, it became evident that, at most, the offence laid to the prisoner's account could only amount to manslaughter in the fourth degree, which was the involuntary killing of another, as defined by the statute, by any weapon; or by any means neither cruel or unusual, in the heat of passion, in any case, except it be excusable or justifiable. The medical testimony in this case, the Recorder said, was not given in such a clear and concise manner as could be desired, when a long term of years in the State Prison would be the result of conviction. The question for the Jury to consider was, Did the defendant cause the death of the deceased either by himself alone, or did he aid, abet, and assist in the injury alleged to have caused his death? The Recorder reviewed the testimony *seriatim*, and found what was evident enough, that, although the prisoner struck the deceased in the face, there was no proof that he caused any fracture of the skull. On the other hand, deceased had left the store, and was attacked outside by other parties, who knocked him on the sidewalk, and that fall might have occasioned the fracture. If there was any doubt in the case, that doubt was to be given to the prisoner, but by a doubt, the Jury were not to understand a possible or imaginary one—a mere possibility or speculation. It must be actual and well founded, arising from the evidence. It must be such a doubt as, upon the whole case, will leave their minds in that condition that they could not conscientiously say the prisoner is guilty to a moral certainty.

After some hours of deliberation the Jury were unable to agree, and were discharged.

James O'Brien and Joseph Barker were tried for burglary and convicted of petit larceny. Sentenced to six months in the Penitentiary, and to pay a fine of $100 each.

Several other cases of little public interest were tried before the Court adjourned.

The Lottery Investigation.

OFFICE OF THE CITY JUDGE.

Before Judge Russell.

The examination in the case of Wood, Eddy & Co. was resumed at 11½ A. M. yesterday.

Thomas Black, one of the Mayor's Squad, testified that he had given to Sergeant Birney a package which he had obtained at No. 146 Fulton-street, on the second floor, from the counter, a week ago last Saturday night.

E. B. Shafer, sworn—I am a counsellor-at-law; I was requested by the City Judge to examine certain exhibits in this prosecution, a portion of which are now before me; I made a list of them; there was $9 39 in package 59; in package 49, $2 95; in package 52, 4 cents; in package 63, $60; in package 26, $7; in package 25, $41 82; in package 3, $50; in package 4, $10; in package 58, $2 60; in package 28, $28; in package 35, $18; in package 70, $74 32; in the aggregate there was $304 38; the District-Attorney's Clerk, Sergeant Birney and a Mr. Murray examined the packages with me.

George A. Armour, sworn—My place of business is at No. 25 Pine-street; I do not know that any person has received money for a prize on a lottery ticket at No. 146 Fulton-street; I decline to say whether I have received money at No. 146 Fulton-street; I have received money there within six months; I think I have not so received money within twenty-one days last past; some was brought to me within thirty days past; I did not go after it; I do not know who brought it; I do not see the person in this room; I decline to answer why this money was brought to me.

Q.—Why do you decline? A.—Because I do not want to implicate myself.

Q.—Did you not within six months last past present a lottery ticket which you believed had drawn a prize, to some person at No. 146 Fulton-street, on the second floor? [Objected to, but allowed.] A.—I decline to answer.

Judge Russell—Oh, you can answer that? A.—I may have.

Q.—Did you not? A.—I have presented them.

Q.—To what person or persons? A.—To Joseph Quay; I cannot recollect when I presented the last ticket; I think within two months.

Q.—Did you not present at that place since Dec. 1, a lottery ticket to some person there and receive money on account of that ticket, which money, or a portion of it, was uncurrent, and as to which you complained? (Objected to.) A.—I have no recollection; I have not been there this month; I know Charles H. Murray; I cannot say that I know Leavitt Murray.

Q.—Have you received money as a prize, to which you were entitled, on account of any lottery, lottery ticket, or drawing of any lottery, such money being received at No. 146 Fulton street, and from either of the Murrays? A.—No, Sir; I have drawn a prize in a lottery once; I may have drawn one twice; I don't recollect what lottery.

Q.—Have you not drawn a prize in Swan & Co.'s lottery, the Sparta Academy lottery, the lottery for the benefit of the State of Delaware, the lottery of Wood, Eddy & Co., or that of Gregory, Maury & Co., or one of them? A.—I cannot tell; it might have been one of those named; I think it was Gregory & Maury's; I think I know it was; it was; I drew that prize several years ago; I have not drawn a prize within one year in one of the lotteries named; I have received within one year, or negotiated for the receipt of a prize drawn in one of the lotteries named.

Q.—With whom did you negotiate, or from whom did you receive the money for that prize. A.—I received the money from Joseph Quay.

Q.—Where did you get the ticket which represented that prize. A.—I might implicate myself—I don't recollect.

Q.—Where did you receive it? A.—I decline to answer; [compelled to answer;] at No. 146 Fulton-street; I don't know from whom; it was paid for by me; I have received the money for the prize: I do not recollect how long ago; it might probably be within six months; it was not within two months, nor three; I do not think it was within four months.

Q.—Have you not received for some friend a prize drawn in one of the lotteries named? A.—Not to my knowledge,—not recently.

Q.—At any time? A.—Yes; I suppose within two months.

Q.—Where and from whom did you receive the money for that prize? A.—At No. 146 Fulton street, from Joe: that prize was drawn in Gregory, Maury & Co.'s prize; I decline answering who owned the ticket; (compelled to answer;) I owned it myself; I am a broker; I decline to answer whether I ever saw this package (shown to witness) before; I decline to answer whether I know what the figures on the tickets in that package mean; I decline to answer whether I ever saw the contents of that package before; the tickets shown me represent numbers that have drawn prizes in a lottery; I decline to answer whether the paper now exhibited purports to show the amount of lottery tickets sold or received by some person.

Q.—Do you know who, if any person, first sold those tickets in the City of New-York within the last three years? I do not call for any act of yours. (Objected to.) A.—I do not; I do not know of any sale having been made of them; I do not know of their having been placed on commission by any person; the hand writing of the word "Armour" on that paper looks like mine. (Mr. Hall said the last question was a very dishonorable one, and the Judge struck it and the reply as above from the minutes.)

Counsel for the defendants here admitted that the bank account of S. Swan & Co., in the Broadway Bank, is subjected to the payment of checks drawn against deposits therein by the defendant, Benjamin Wood, such checks being drawn in the name of S. Swan & Co.

The investigation was here adjourned, with the understanding that two more witnesses should be examined at 11 A. M. to day, when the examination will be resumed, and then the counsel should be prepared to sum up.

COURT OF COMMON PLEAS—Dec. 21.

NOTICE.

There will be no General Term of this Court held during the Holiday week, and the motions and appeals noticed for the fourth Monday of December, will stand adjourned to the January General Term.

THE BULKELEY DIVORCE CASE.

In the case of Mary K. Bulkeley *vs.* Lucius E. Bulkeley, Judge CLERKE has made a decree of divorce in favor of Mrs. Bulkeley, and giving her the custody of their child.

PUBLIC MEETINGS.

THE PHILOSOPHICAL SOCIETY OF the Mechanics Institute will meet THIS (Thursday) EVENING, at 7½ o'clock, at the Cooper Institute, Room No. 23. Subject—*Ventilation.* The public are invited. By order. JAMES J. MAPES, President.
JOHN W. REID, Secretary.

THE MEMBERS OF PALESTINE LODGE, No. 204 F. and A. M., are hereby notified that the election of officers for the ensuing year will take place THIS (Thursday) EVENING, Dec. 23. By order of
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THE NEW STOCK OF DRY GOODS THAT MACY now shows; and each lady for NICE CORSETS and UNDER-CLOTHING to 6th-av., Nos. 204 and 206, now goes. There's nothing old-fashioned—all BRAN NEW and NICE. And the best of it is, there is only one price.

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CLOTHIERS, MERCHANT-TAILORS, CLOAK-MAKERS and others.
J. P. & H. L. CRANFORD & CO.,
No. 304 Broadway, corner of Duane-st.,
will close the balance of their stock of
BEAVERS and PILOTS,
SEAL-SKINS and LION-SKINS,
OVERCOATINGS,
BROADCLOTHS,
CLOAKING CLOTHS,
and all other Winter Goods, at a Large Reduction on their late very low prices, to make room for SPRING GOODS.
EXTRAORDINARY BARGAINS IN CLOTHING!
EVERY ARTICLE
BOUGHT FOR CASH AND SOLD FOR CASH.

WE INVITE THE ATTENTION
Of the Ladies to our
Very desirable assortment of
ROBES DE CHAMBRE,
Suitable for Holiday Presents
For Gentlemen.
ALFRED MUNROE & CO.,
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MILLER & GRANT, NO. 703 BROADWAY
Will offer, on MONDAY, the 20th inst.:

Application Point Sets, all trimmed	for $8 and upward.
Application Point Collars	for $2 and upward.
Point à l'Aguille Sets, all trimmed	for $17 and upward.
Point à l'Aguille Collars	for $3 50 and upward.
Point à l'Aguille Handkerchiefs	for $25 and upward.

Also,
Chantilly Veils, Points, Flounces, Mantillas and Capes,
Paris Embroideries, in the latest styles.
The above goods are just received, and will be found 25 per cent. below usual prices.

EMBROIDERIES—EMBROIDERIES.
PARIS EMBROIDERED COLLARS AND CUFFS.
COLLARS, SETS AND HANDKERCHIEFS.
VALENCIENNES LACE AND MEDALLION SETS.
COLLARS AND HANDKERCHIEFS.
In new shapes and designs—very handsome.
INFANTS' CAPS, CLOAKS, ROBES AND DRESSES,
ILLUSION CAPES, BERTHES, BRETELLES, &c.—
all very pretty for HOLIDAY GIFTS.
BAILEY, FARRINGTON & LESLIE,
No. 623 Broadway.

FREDERICK MAYNARD,
Manufacturer of
LADIES' SILK DRESS BUTTONS, TASSELS, &c.
No. 20 Cliff-st.
A large assortment, suitable for the jobbing trade, constantly on hand.

KIDDER BROTHERS,
No. 161 Chambers-st., New-York, manufacturers of HORSE BLANKETS AND HARNESS MAKERS' TRIMMINGS.
A large stock of horse blankets in great variety of patterns at wholesale. Low for cash on approved credit.

LADIES! LADIES!! LADIES!!!
Ladies who have not purchased their Winter Bonnets will do well by calling at No. 61 Bleecker-st., a few doors east of Broadway, as the balance of our Ladies' and Misses' Bonnets will be sold below cost.

HOLIDAY CLOTHING!—GREAT REDUCTION!!
IMMENSE STOCK AT OAK HALL OF
FINE BEAVER OVERCOATS,
FINE CLOTH OVERCOATS,
FINE DRESS FROCK COATS,
NEW STYLE BUSINESS COATS,
FRENCH and ENGLISH CASSIMERE PANTS,
RICH VELVET, SILK and CASSIMERE VESTS, &c.
The above Garments are made equal to "FIRST-CLASS CUSTOM WORK," and got up expressly for the "HOLIDAYS." I have on hand a large assortment of "LOW PRICED CLOTHING," which DEFIES ALL COMPETITION. For instance:

GOOD WARM OVERCOATS	$3 to $6 00
BEAVER OVERCOATS	$5 00
GOOD WINTER VESTS	$1 to $2 50
CASSIMERE PANTS	$2 to $4 00
GOOD BUSINESS COATS	$3 to $7 00

OAK HALL, Nos. 84 and 86 Fulton, and Nos. 45, 47 and 49 Gold st. Open until 8½ p. m.; Saturday, 11 p. m.
THEO. R. B. DE GROOT.

THE NEW-YORK CARPET-LINING COMPANY, having enlarged their Factory and added to their machinery from the latest improvements for the manufacture of CARPET LINING and COTTON BATTING, have now on hand and are manufacturing a superior article of COTTON BATTING. Buyers are invited to call and examine at the Factory,
No. 448 WATER-ST.
N. B.—All orders for Carpet-Lining and Cotton Batting promptly attended to. J. R. HARRINGTON, Agent.

SKIRTS.—ELEVEN SPRING SKELETON SKIRTS, adjustable bustle, and well made, for $1 31; thirteen springs, $1 50; and sixteen springs, $2. Children's four spring, 25 cents. Dealers supplied with eight springs, for $8 per dozen; eleven springs, $11; and thirteen spring, $15 per dozen. C. L. HARDING, No. 281 Spring-st., near Hudson. No connection with the next store.

SKIRTS, SKIRTS, FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—Eleven hoops, Damascus steel, made after the latest Paris models, $1 50; 12 do., $1 75; 17 do., $3; 21 do., $3 50; and 30 hoops, $4. All made by us in the best manner and warranted, at Mrs. FOSTER'S model Skirt Depot, No. 387 Broadway. Ladies in attendance. French and German spoken.

DRY GOODS.

BEEKMAN & CO.
No. 473 BROADWAY,
Are offering great bargains in their
EMBROIDERIES AND LACES,
Consisting of Lace and Embroidered Sets
COLLARS,
HANDKERCHIEFS,
SLEEVES,
BANDS,
VEILS, &c., &c., &c.
SUITABLE FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS.

USEFUL, ELEGANT AND VALUABLE
ARTICLES FOR
HOLIDAY PRESENTS,
AT
GENIN'S BAZAAR,
No. 507 and 513 Broadway,
St. Nicholas Hotel.

Special and elegant assortments of fashionable and seasonable goods suitable for
CHRISTMAS AND NEW-YEAR'S PRESENTS,
and adapted to the tastes, the wants, and the purses of every class, have just been added to all the departments of the Bazaar, and, in order to render the establishment the
POPULAR RENDEZVOUS
for the purchase of Holiday Gifts, the new articles in every branch of useful attire and ornamental costume for
LADIES,
GENTLEMEN, MISSES,
AND BOYS,
have been marked at the
LOWEST PRICES
at which they can be sold without a positive loss.

The attention of all who intend to make presents which shall be really valuable to the receivers, and apropos to the season, is invited to the following
PRESENTATION LIST,
to which, if the limits of an advertisement would permit, hundreds of other articles, suitable as tokens of friendly remembrance, might be added.

FURS:
SETS OF RUSSIAN SABLE.
SETS OF HUDSON BAY SABLE.
SETS OF ERMINE.
GENTS' COLLARS and GLOVES.
CHILDREN'S FURS of all KINDS.
SLEIGH ROBES in great variety,
And Cloaks, Capes, Victorines, Muffs, Cuffs, Ladies' Gloves and Gauntlets of all fashionable furs, Cheap or Costly.
CLOAKS, MANTILLAS, TALMAS, &c.,
Of VELVET, from $30 to $125,
Of CLOTH, from $14 to $40.
FRENCH SACQUES,
From $12 to $35.
OPERA CLOAKS,
Of various shades, plush-trimmed,
From $12 to $30.
LADIES' RAGLANS,
From $7 upwards.
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S BONNETS,
All the new Paris modes.
LADIES' HEAD DRESSES,
Including a great variety of Evening Coiffures.
LADIES' FUR ARCTIC HOODS,
An entirely new article for Sleighing and the Opera, $12 each.
LADIES' MORNING ROBES,
In Silk, Satin de Chene, French Merino, and all-wool De Laine, from $6 upwards.
SETS OF LADIES' UNDER-LINEN,
Consisting of Chemises, Drawers, Corset-covers, and Skirts, from $20 upward.
EMBROIDERED SKIRTS,
And Robe Skirts, from $4 upwards.
INFANTS' CLOAKS and HOODS,
From $7 to $20.
INFANTS' CHRISTENING ROBES,
Exquisitely Embroidered, from $10 upwards.
INFANTS' OUTFITS COMPLETE,
At various prices.
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S WINTER HOSIERY,
Including new styles of Opera Hoods, French Wool Basques, Merino Under-vests and Drawers for Children; Alexandre's Gloves, for Ladies; a large assortment of Children's Gloves and Silk and Merino Underwear of every description.
BOYS' CLOTHING,
In immense variety. Boys' full suits from $7 upwards. Boys' Overcoats from $5 to $14, and Boys' Embroidered and Braided suits from $10 to $14.
BOYS' GLENGARY and BALMORAL CAPS, French and home-manufactured Smoking Caps, elegantly embroidered, and in great variety.
FULL SUITS including fancy hats) for small Boys.
A rich assortment.
LADIES' TOILET SLIPPERS,
Delicately and richly embroidered.
BOYS' PATENT LEATHER BOOTS,
For the Holidays, and Gents' Slippers.
LACES AND EMBROIDERIES, including
7,500 French Embroidered Collars, } at $1.
7,500 French Embroidered Hdkfs,
And an unequaled assortment of Laces, by the set or single article, at a very moderate figure.
GENTS' WINTER DRESSING-ROBES,
Gloves, Cravats, Ties, Scarfs, Underwear, and Furnishing Goods generally. A very select and fashionable Holiday stock.
BOYS' LEGGINGS,
Of Cloth and Velvet.
GENTS' HATS AND CAPS,
All the Genin styles, including the new Festival Hat for Christmas and New-Year's.
HANDSOME and DURABLE UMBRELLAS,
Home manufactured and imported
PRESENT MAKERS cannot find elsewhere in New-York such a splendid variety of useful, desirable and ornamental articles as are comprised in the Holiday Stock at GENIN'S BAZAAR,
Nos. 507 and 513 Broadway,
St. Nicholas Hotel.

A NEW SKIRT.—THE LADIES ARE RESPECTFULLY invited to examine WOODWARD'S Patent New Year's Skirt; being novel in its arrangement and unequaled by any known skirt in the World for imparting ease, grace and beauty; every difficulty of the rigid steel spring is entirely obviated. Also, a full assortment of those popular favorites, WOODWARD'S Patent Columbian Skirts. Bustles and Extenders, as well as every variety of the most approved Skeleton Skirts at the lowest cash prices. For sale at No. 329 Broadway, opposite the Broadway Theatre.

BOYS' WINTER CLOTHING!!
GREAT REDUCTION AT OAK HALL!!
Nos. 84 and 86 Fulton-st., and Nos. 45, 47 and 49 Gold-st.
Open until 8½ p. m.
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FURS.

FURS! FURS!!
LADIES, LOSE NO TIME!
BEAUTIFUL, MAGNIFICENT DARK THICK FUR,
WELL-SEASONED, NATURAL COLOR,
GENUINE MINK SETS,
JUST RECEIVED FROM THE INDIANS,
And now unpacking the invoice, unusually large and complete, to close them out at
VERY SMALL PROFITS,
At the FUR-TRAPPERS' DEPOT,
DRAKE, No. 9 Bowery.

FURS! FURS! FURS!
BOUGHTON & RANDALL,
No. 88 Broadway, (up stairs,) block below Trinity Church
Wholesale Dealers, Manufacturers and Importers of
FINE FURS.
Having determined to offer their stock at RETAIL, would invite the attention of the Ladies to their Extensive Assortment of FANCY FURS, consisting of
RUSSIA AND HUDSON'S BAY SABLE,
MINK, FITCH, STONE-MARTEN, &c.
IN CLOAKS, CAPES, HALF-CAPES, VICTORINES,
MUFFS, CUFFS, &c.
Also, Hudson's Bay Wolf, Prairie Wolf, Bear, Fox, Genet
SLEIGH ROBES.
We call special attention to our White Arctic Fox—a beautiful article for Carriage Lap Robes.
Our Stock being the Finest and most Extensive in the City, we feel confident that every one can be suited.

A NOTICE FOR THE HOLIDAYS.
FURS! FURS! FURS! FURS!
At HARRIS & RUSSAK'S,
No. 326 Grand-st., No. 231 8th-av., No. 228 Bowery.
We sell our large and various stock of
Sables, Ermine, Mink, Stone Marten,
etc., etc., etc., etc.,
AT A GREAT SACRIFICE!!
Fur Capes, Talmas, Victorines, Muffs, Cuffs, Collars and Gloves; also, a large assortment of Sleigh-Robes and Children's Fancy Furs in great variety.

FURS! FURS! FURS!—A LARGE AND ELEGANT assortment of ladies' and children's fashionable Furs, at extraordinary low prices, together with a good stock of gents', boys' and children's hats, caps and umbrellas, at prices which defy competition, at the old-established Hat, Cap and Fur Store No. 90 Fulton-st., between Gold and William sts.
CHARLES P. MELLENY.

SUPERB SABLE CLOAK—NEW STYLE—price $275; large sable cape, price $125; sable muffs, cuffs, &c., at very low prices.
GEORGE A. HEARN, No. 425 Broadway.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

THE ADVERTISER HAVING RECEIVED the agency for the exclusive sale of an article in great demand in the City of New-York, wishes to find a gentleman who can command $1,000 to invest in the business, and can devote his whole time to the same. It promises a very profitable business. On an interview, a full explanation of the business can be had. Address J. K. LAWIS, Box No. 167 *Times* Office.

PARTNER WANTED—WITH A CAPITAL OF from $4,000 to $5,000, by a person already established in the wholesale liquor business, well acquainted in Illinois, Wisconsin, Iowa and Minnesota. None need apply except a man of respectability and business qualification. Address W. S. S., Box No. 183 *Times* Office.

A YOUNG MAN OF GOOD BUSINESS capacities and experience, wants an interest in some good substantial concern. He can furnish $8,000 to $10,000, cash. The most unexceptionable references given. Address, with real name and business, M., Box No. 2,264 Post-Office.

PROVISIONS.

FINE FAMILY GROCERIES.
TEAS, FLOUR AND PROVISIONS,
At AGNEW'S, NO. 260 GREENWICH-ST.
Families desirous of buying the best provisions at the lowest price, are invited to examine my stock, which comprises the most complete assortment of choice Teas, Coffees, Sugars, and other Groceries and Provisions, to be found in any store in the City.
FLOUR.—1,000 BARRELS CHOICE BRANDS FROM $4 50 TO $6 A BARREL.
THOMAS R. AGNEW, Importer, Wholesale and Retail Dealer in the Finest Family Groceries, No. 260 Greenwich-st., corner of Murray-st.

INDIA RUBBER GOODS.

GOODYEAR'S PATENT—TRADE NOTICE—All manufacturers and dealers in Suspenders, Garters, Shoe and other Webs, Tapes, Braids, Belts, Cords, Gloves, Wristlets and all similar goods, are informed that the exclusive license and ownership of the patent of C. Goodyear for Vulcanized Rubber applied in these fabrics, and many others, is in me, and all such goods sold without my name and authority is in violation of exclusive rights, adjudicated to be mine, and I must hold all parties, infringing, responsible.

Licenses, to use the patent, may be had on application at my office and warehouse, No. 28 Cortlandt-st., New-York.

Orders for every article in this line executed promptly, or reference for supply to parties to whom specific rights have been assigned by me. HORACE H. DAY.

FOR THE HOLIDAYS.

NOTICE.—ON RETAIL FOR THE HOLIDAYS—A field of operations for Ladies of
TASTE AND REFINEMENT, AT
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

A PANORAMA OF TRUTHFUL FLOWERS, full of apparent life and originality, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

BRIDAL APPOINTMENTS, WITH OR WITHOUT VAILS, are of distinguished merit, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

COIFFURES—COMMENCING AT THE LOW figure of $2 each, deserve much favor, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

OSTRICH AND MARABOUT FEATHERS are all in the superlative, and the Ostrich Head-dress,
With Pearls and Gold Beads intermingled,
Is a very pretty production,
At $1 50 each, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

CACHEPEIGNS—COMMENCING AT $1 50 EACH.
Fancy Hair Pins, Ornamental Combs,
And Head Ornaments, it is whispered,
Are beyond all praise, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

THE CELEBRATED WHITBY JET, IN BRACELETS, BROOCHES and CHATELAINES plain or richly set in gold, are of artistic finish, at
JAMES TUCKER'S,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

PARIS CAMBRAY, VERY BEAUTIFUL in quality, in 8-4 and 12-4 wide, for VAILS and DRESSES. JAMES TUCKER,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

OPERA FANS, AND MANY OTHER OBJECTS of appreciation for the Toilet; in fact, we must not omit to chronicle our BRUSHES and PERFUMERY now so much in the ascendant.
JAMES TUCKER,
No. 361 Broadway,
Next door to Thompson's Saloon.

JELLIES FOR HOLIDAY TABLES.
PETER COOPER'S
REFINED
SHEET AND SHRED ISINGLASS.
A PRIME ARTICLE,
very extensively used for
CALVES' FOOT JELLY,
BLANC MANGE, TABLE AND WINE JELLIES,
and for
JELLIFYING PRESERVES
The Shred, with directions for using, is put up in small packages for family use, and is sold by all the principal Grocers and Druggists throughout the United States.
PETER COOPER, No. 17 Burling-slip, New-York.

HOLIDAY CARD,
REDUCTION OF PRICES.
A large and well-assorted stock of
LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S FURS
of every grade. Splendid sets (complete) from $10 to $20. Misses', Boys' and Infants' plain and fancy Hats and Caps of the most fashionable patterns. Gents' Hats and Caps of every style and quality. The Holiday Hat is a superb article, and recommends itself to every person of taste.
KELLOGG, Manufacturer, No. 381 Canal-st.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.
An assortment of Sheffield and Birmingham plated goods; &c., below cost, at
No. 58 Beekman-st., up stairs.

HOLIDAY TRADE.
Plated Urns, Tea Sets, Cordial Stands, Waiters, Cake Baskets, Butter Coolers, Sugar Baskets, Spoons and Forks, &c., &c.
FINE PLATED ON STEEL TABLE CUTLERY,
Manufactured and for sale by the
MANHATTAN PLATE COMPANY.
Office and Sample Room
No. 22 John-st.

PRESENTS.
A lot of fine English plate for sale at a sacrifice, to close consignments, at No. 58 Beekman-st.,
Up stairs.

CONFECTIONERY.
CHOICE ASSORTMENT,
PURE ARTICLES,
LOW PRICES.
THOS. G. HODGKINS,
No. 174 Greenwich-st., between Cortlandt and Liberty.
N. B.—A large supply of Broken Candy for the Holidays.

ENGLISH PLATED GOODS.
A large lot of fine articles, suitable for presents, will be sold at less than cost to the trade or private parties, at
No. 58 Beekman st., up stairs.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—H. W. HUNTER, OPTICIAN, No. 169 William-st., has on hand a fine assortment of Stereoscopes, Stereoscopic Views, Gold, Silver and Steel Spectacles, Eye Glasses, Opera Glasses, Telescopes, Microscopes, Drawing Instruments, &c., &c., at reduced prices.

A SUITABLE PRESENT FOR THE HOLIDAYS.—The Youth's Chemical Cabinet, containing Apparatus and Chemicals, with instructions to perform upwards of 100 interesting CHEMICAL EXPERIMENTS. Price $5. For sale by JOHN FYFE, 116 John-st.

TOYS! TOYS!—NO. 132 CHATHAM-STREET, UP STAIRS.—All who wish to select an assortment of Toys cheap for the Holidays, will do well to call at the wholesale store of W. H. FREY, No. 132 Chatham-st., opposite the Theatre.

HOLIDAY PRESENTS.—THE ATTENTION OF the public is called to the large stock of arm chairs suitable for presents, at the warerooms of M. W. KING & SON, 109 Mercer-st., near Prince, (late of Broadway.)

TOOL CHESTS FOR HOLIDAY PRESENTS—Wholesale and retail; by E. G. BALDWIN, Agent, No. 72 Murray-st., third floor.

HOLIDAY GIFTS.—ALL KINDS FINE STATIONERY articles, Diaries for 1859, &c., by FRANCIS & LOUTREL, No. 45 Maiden-lane.

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ENAMELED CHAMBER FURNITURE,
In all colors, of superior and warranted manufacture, finished in landscape, fresco, fruit and flowers, at H. F. FARRINGTON'S, No. 365 Canal-st., opposite Wooster. Established 1848.

ENAMELED CHAMBER SUITES OF FURNITURE, in all colors and styles, wholesale or retail, At prices from $25 and upwards.
WARREN WARD, No. 277 Canal-st., (old No. 88,) Four doors east of Broadway, New-York.

FOR SALE—A SPLENDID SET OF LACE CURTAINS; are quite new; will be sold cheap, as the advertiser is in want of money. Address Mrs. L. M. N., Box No. 144 *Times* Office.

SCHOOL FURNITURE MANUFACTURED and for sale by ROBERT PATON, No. 24 Grove-st., New-York, between Bleecker and Hudson sts. Circulars sent on application.

ENAMELED FURNITURE—OF A SUPERIOR style and finish, manufactured and for sale by J. W. FISHER & CO. No. 690 Broadway. Formerly with McGraw & Allendorph.

LEGAL NOTICES.

NEW-YORK SUPREME COURT.—COUNTY OF KINGS.—JOHN H. SCHRODER, plaintiff, against MARY HAMILL, widow of PATRICK HAMILL, deceased, JAMES HAMILL, MARY ANN HAMILL, CATHARINE HAMILL and ELLIS HAMILL, children of said PATRICK HAMILL, defendants.—Summons for relief.—(Com. not Ser.)—To each of the above-named defendants: You are hereby summoned and required to answer the complaint in this action, which was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Kings, in the State of New-York, at the City Hall in the City of Brooklyn, on the seventh day of December, 1858, and to serve a copy of your answer to the said complaint on the subscriber at his office No. 349 Fulton-street, in the City of Brooklyn, in Kings County, and State of New-York, within twenty days after the service of this summons on you, exclusive of the day of such service; and if you fail to answer the said complaint within the time aforesaid, the plaintiff in this action will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in the complaint.—Dated ——, 1858.
JOSEPH M. PRAY, Plaintiff's Attorney,
d16-law6wTh. No. 349 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF RODMAN B. DAWSON, Esq., Surrogate of the County of Kings, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against ALFRED LARGE, late of the city of Brooklyn, deceased, that they are required to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, the executor, at his office, No. 25 Park-place, in the City of New-York, on or before the 24th day of February next.—Dated Brooklyn, Aug. 18, 1858.
au19-law6mTh* WILLIAM LOTTIMER, Executor.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against JOHN OOTHOUT, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their office, No. 3 Cliff-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 21st day of February next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 18, 1858.
WM. OOTHOUT, } Ex'rs.
au19-law6mTh* HENRY OOTHOUT,

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against OTTO THEODORE DUISBERG, late of Point Levi, Canada, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his office, No. 61 Wall-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of April next.—Dated New-York, the 13th day of October, 1858.
CLARKSON N. POTTER,
o14-law6mTh Administrator with the Will annexed.

IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF THE Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MICHAEL MURRAY, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his residence, No. 3 Morris-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 25th day of February next.—Dated New-York, Aug. 18, 1858.
au19-law6mTh* THOS. BYRNES, Administrator.

NOTICE.—TO THE CREDITORS OF JAMES DE GRAY & CO., HENRY E. QUINAN, Assignee: You are requested to send your address, or call upon me at my place of business, No. 416 Broadway, corner of Canal-st. I have something to communicate bearing upon your interest.
SETH C. KEYES,
Debtor to James De Gray & Co.

FAMILIES WANTING GOOD SERVANTS.—German, Irish, Scotch, English, &c., call at the large Institute and Home of Domestics, No. 138 11th-st., corner of 6th-av. This extensive place has abundance of civil, capable help to suit all, at moderate wages. Conducted by a respectable American lady. Call and see.

SITUATIONS WANTED.

FEMALES.

WANTED—BY A STEADY, RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT woman a situation as seamstress, or would be willing to take care of one growing child and assist in light chamberwork; is accustomed to the care of children; has a good disposition; is willing and obliging. Can be highly recommended by her employers. Can be seen for a week or longer, at No. 214 3d-av., between 19th and 20th sts., in the fancy store.

WANTED—A SITUATION BY AN EXPERIENCED young woman as good cook; understands baking of all kinds, and is a good washer and ironer, or would do the housework of a small private family; can give the best of City reference as to character and capability. Call, for two days, at No. 144 East 17th-st., top floor.

WANTED—FOR A FAITHFUL, INDUSTRIOUS girl, who understands all kinds of housework thoroughly, a situation; is a steady servant of good principles, perfectly neat, and well recommended; an excellent washer and ironer, good cook and baker. Apply at No. 10 Tillary-st., Brooklyn.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE AND FULLY-competent person, a situation, to cook, wash and iron, or do general housework; can offer the most satisfactory City reference as to character and capability. Apply for two days at No. 107 East 13th-st., between 3d and 4th avs.

WANTED—BY A YOUNG WOMAN, WITH THE best of references, a situation to do plain cooking, baking washing and ironing, or general housework; she understands her business well, and is able and willing to work; is agreeable and kind to children; no objection to the country. Call at No. 378 6th-av.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY AN OLD SCOTCH lady, a good steady home for the Winter, in a small family; wishes to make herself generally useful, and to assist in washing and ironing and plain cooking. Apply at No 338 29th-st., between 10th and 11th avs., in the rear, for 3 days.

WANTED—BY A RESPECTABLE PROTESTANT woman, a situation as first-class laundress; understands French fluting; has long experience in the best of families, and has the best of City references; no objection to go a short distance in the country. Call at No. 124 4th av., between 12th and 13th sts.

WANTED—BY A HIGHLY RESPECTABLE, hard-working and reliable young woman, a situation; is a first class cook, excellent washer and ironer, and perfectly efficient in all kinds of housework; has unexceptionable references; is very economical and neat, and will try to please. Apply at 58 Atlantic-st. Brooklyn.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A COMPETENT person, as seamstress; understands all kinds of family sewing, cutting and fitting children's dresses; or as lady's maid. Best of City reference given. Apply at No. 36 West 13th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., second-floor, front room.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A RESPECTABLE young woman, as good plain cook, washer and ironer; willing to do general housework. Good City reference. Apply at No. 414 10th-st., between Avenues D and C.

WANTED—A SITUATION, BY A RESPECTABLE woman, as a first rate cook and a good washer and ironer. Good City reference can be given. Call at No. 238 6th-av., between 15th and 16th sts., second floor, front room.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

A variety of topics occupied the attention of Congress yesterday, which will be found set forth in our telegraphic summary. The Pacific Railroad discussion was not continued in the Senate, several messages being received from the President, which were considered in Executive Session. Their contents have not transpired. In the House, the bill pensioning the soldiers of the War of 1812, was passed by a decisive vote. The Military Academy bill, appropriating $181,000, was considered in Committee of the Whole, and passed by the House, as was also the Invalid Pension bill. Mr. MORRIS, of Pennsylvania, gave notice of his intention to introduce a bill laying specific duties on a certain class of imports, and otherwise amending the present Tariff law. Mr. DAVIS, of Mississippi, asked, but did not obtain, leave to introduce a resolution instructing the Committee on Foreign Affairs to report a bill authorizing the President to take possession of Cuba until satisfaction shall have been given for the insults offered to the persons and property of our citizens. A great portion of the day was spent in debate on a variety of topics in Committee of the Whole, called out by a series of resolutions referring the various branches of the President's Message to appropriate committees.

We are furnished through private channels with additional facts casting light upon the actual state of affairs in Mexico. President JUAREZ is depending upon the Customs revenue to enable him to direct the concentration of the Liberal troops upon the Capital; and as trade has reopened, there is a fair prospect of speedy activity. The threatened assault of ECHEAGARAY upon Vera Cruz excites no alarm, as he is without artillery and money. Gen. ARTEAGA, with 1,500 men, has thrown himself between MIRAMON and the City, thus cutting off his retreat should his anticipated battle with DEGOLLADO prove disastrous. The difficulties with Spain are said, upon the best authorities, to be in the way of pacific adjustment, ZULOAGA and JUAREZ being equally willing to make every concession. It is also said that Admiral PENAUD came to Vera Cruz to bombard that place, incited thereto by the instances of GABRIAC the French Envoy at the Capital; but that he was dissuaded by the remonstrances of the French mercantile interest. Since then the intercourse between the French Admiral and the Constitutional authorities of Vera Cruz has been extremely cordial.

We have advices from the Rio Grande to Dec. 10. General VIDAURRI is represented to be at Monterey busily engaged in recruiting for a fresh expedition southward. Five hundred men are already enlisted. The murder of an American, named GLEEN, is reported as having occurred near Saltillo. A rumor prevailed in the north that Señor MATA had been at Vera Cruz, to lay before President JUAREZ a proposition from the American Government for a railroad through Chihuahua and Sonora, the consideration for the grant to be $5,000,000.

The latest news from New-Mexico, of which a telegraphic summary has been published, confirms the report of the massacre of the entire Mail party which left Albuquerque Nov. 15, by the Camanche Indians. The party consisted of six men, who were all killed by the savages. The outfit and all the mail were also destroyed.

The California Overland Mail, with advices from San Francisco four days later, arrived at St. Louis yesterday. The news is generally unimportant. Business is reported inactive.

The American Colonization Society has from Liberia the confirmation of a report already received, that another French emigrant vessel had been attempting to secure a cargo of apprentices on the coast, but had been warned off by the authorities.

The steamship *Edinburgh*, from Glasgow on the 2d December, arrived here yesterday. She experienced the common lot of ocean steamers in Winter—heavy gales and dangerous seas—a circumstance that accounts for her protracted passage. Her news has been anticipated by the *Arabia*.

A man named JONATHAN S. OWEN, is in custody at Detroit, having been captured, after a long search, in Montgomery County, Ind., on a charge of poisoning his wife. The murderer was a prominent Church member, a citizen of respectable standing, and had lived with his wife for fourteen years.

Deputy Marshal TYLER has been held at Detroit to answer a charge of murder, for killing Captain JONES, of the brig *Concord*.

The Board of Aldermen, last evening, concurred with the Board of Councilmen in directing the licensing of the City cars at $50 a piece per annum for the large cars, and $25 a piece per annum for the small cars. A favorable report with regard to the amendment of the "ordinance to reorganize the Finance Department," was presented and referred. The Board agreed to permit the Metropolitan Gaslight Company to lay mains through the streets of the City.

The Receiver of Taxes reported to the Councilmen last evening the amount of taxes paid on their personal property by the different City railroads. The Board refused to authorize the publication of the minutes of the Committee on the Cable celebration. A resolution was adopted against the discharge of workmen from the Central Park. The Board concurred in the decision of the Councilmen to permit the Harlem Railroad Company to use steam as low as Thirty-second-street.

Doctor O. W. HOLMES delivered a lecture on the "Chief End of Man," last evening, at Clinton Hall, before the Young Men's Christian Association.

The trial of WILLIAM TILESON for the manslaughter of CHRISTIAN MATHEWBACK, was resumed yesterday in the Court of General Sessions, and resulted in the disagreement of the Jury. A large number of cases of minor degrees of interest were also disposed of, sentences being reserved till the last day of term.

The investigation in the case of the alleged lottery dealers, WOOD, EDDY & Co., was resumed before Judge RUSSELL yesterday. Several witnesses were examined, and the case was adjourned to 11 A. M. to-day.

The Cattle Markets fluctuated materially yesterday and the day before. On Tuesday, under the impression that a small supply would be received, prices went up fully ½c. ℘ lb. for the estimated dressed weight; large arrivals yesterday knocked down the advance, and the afternoon sales were made at even lower prices than last week, while two or three hundred animals were still unsold at sundown. There was a fair supply of splendid bullocks, "Christmas beeves," a few of which sold for 12c.@12½c. ℘ lb., the dressed carcasses. Other animals, which usually rank as first quality, sold at 9½c.@10½c., while the poorer grades sold all the way down to 7c.@6½c.

The sales of Cotton, yesterday, reached 2,000 bales, including 800 bales in transit. Prices were firm. Flour and Wheat were moderately inquired for. Corn was more sought after. The principal sale of Coffee was a cargo of Santos on private terms. Pork, Lard and Beef were in fair demand, as were, also, Rice and Sugars. Freights were quiet,—with 593 vessels, of all classes, in port.

Mexico and Spain.

Various rumors touching the attitude of Spain towards Mexico were afloat in Washington on Tuesday, and were given yesterday in our telegraphic dispatches from the Capital. It was stated that the Spanish fleet, under TOPETE, had taken possession of the Bar of Tampico, or of the forts at the entrance of that harbor, and that a Spanish force was to be landed at Tampico, to enforce by land operations the claims of Spain upon Mexico. None of the reports so circulated were correct. The facts of the case are fully detailed in the Havana papers just received by the *Black Warrior*, and are of much importance. The information so obtained, being of a decisive character, and coming from sources which have been usually regarded as authentic, and being, moreover, as late as any intelligence that could have reached Washington, is likely to be more reliable than the reports which came to us yesterday by telegraph.

It will be remembered that the ostensible quarrel of Spain with Mexico originally arose out of the claims of the former upon the administration of COMONFORT, for reparation on two separate points—namely, the murder of Spanish subjects at San Vicente, Chiconcuaque, and elsewhere, and the non-compliance of Mexico with the terms of the treaty of 1853, for the liquidation of debts due to her Spanish creditors. The answer of Mexico to these complaints was in effect, a declaration that having already chastised the Mexicans, who had outraged Spanish honor at Cuernavaca, and being totally unable, in the present disturbed condition of the country, to reach the Pintos and others, who had likewise committed enormities against Spaniards in San Dimas, Durango, and other places wherein the actual Government was ignored,—there remained but one ground of dispute on which Spain could base any reclamations whatever on Mexico, namely, in the matter of the amounts due to Spanish creditors. But while the *de facto* Government (that of JUAREZ) of Mexico had not hesitated to admit the justice of this last-named claim, it has as frankly declared its inability to satisfy it.

In the meanwhile, the affair of the forced loan, to which Spanish, as well as all other foreign residents were subjected, supplied Spain with a further and still more pressing demand upon Mexico. Accordingly, a Spanish squadron, under Captain TOPETE, in the *Berengucla*, appeared off Tampico about the middle of last month, and demanded of General GARZA, Commandant of the Mexican garrison at that place, the immediate return of the money obtained from Spaniards by means of the forced loan, and *an indemnity* to be fixed by agreement between him, the Spanish Vice-Consul at Tampico, and Captain TOPETE. The summary style in which this demand was made was aggravated by the menace of a resort to arms if a satisfactory answer were not forthcoming in twenty-four hours. LA GARZA, who appears to have been completely intimidated by the letter of the Spaniard, at once replied at great length, going into the history of the differences between the two countries, but stating positively, that in obedience to orders which he had received from the Supreme Government then established at Vera Cruz, he intended to satisfy the claim of Spain as soon as he could obtain the requisite funds. These, he informed Captain TOPETE, he had no other means of procuring otherwise than through the Custom-house, but he assured the Spanish Commander, that directly certain vessels which were then off the Bar came in, and the duties on their cargoes, and on certain previous arrivals the imposts on which had not yet been collected, should be received, he would at once apply them to the satisfaction of the claims represented by the guns of the *Berenguela*. Upon this, Captain TOPETE directed another communication to LA GARZA for the purpose of inquiring whether the whole of the duties so to be collected, or what portions of them, were to be applied to the liquidation of Spanish claims; and LA GARZA having replied that one-half the anticipated revenue would be so applied, TOPETE accepted the terms offered, subject to their final confirmation or rejection by the Captain-General of Cuba. On the 27th November, however, the further instructions which Captain TOPETE awaited from Havana reached him, intimating to him that the Captain-General disapproved of the delay accorded to LA GARZA, and directed an immediate resort to hostilities in case the demands of Spain were not directly satisfied. These orders were at once intimated to LA GARZA by TOPETE, who renewed his threat to carry them into execution, if the money was not immediately paid. The urgency of the case seems to have stimulated LA GARZA to marvelous activity, for he settled the Spanish demands with a celerity which scarcely accords with his previous declaration of poverty, or his solicitations, *in forma pauperis*, for delay. Indeed, he seems to have added to his obedience a degree of servility which, under ordinary circumstances, would have been as unnecessary as it was undignified, for he voluntarily saluted the flag of Spain after he had paid the money.

It may be, however, that in thus promptly meeting the energetic and not very considerate demands of Spain, LA GARZA has acted with a view to deprive the Spanish Government of an excuse to interfere in the domestic squabbles of the country for the purpose of aiding the Church party. If this has been his motive, the astuteness of his policy may excuse the apparent pusillanimity of his conduct. But the question very naturally arises, If warlike demonstrations before a Mexican port are sufficient to obtain a preference of the claims of one class of foreigners over those of all others, is not the example of Spain an invitation to England, France and the United States to do likewise in quick succession? If the injustice of the forced loan is acknowledged in the case of Spanish residents, it must be equally established in the case of all other foreigners; and if only force can obtain satisfaction, force might, with equal justice, be applied by all the Governments whose subjects or citizens have suffered from the same exactions. On the other hand, the sympathies of France, England and the United States being with the liberal Government or against the Church party, it is possible the example of Spain will not be followed by these Powers. The only means which the Liberals can command are obtained from the duties collected by the custom-houses at the seaports which are in their possession, while the Zuloaga party derive their principal funds from the Church. Every dollar, therefore, which is drawn from the ports weakens the Juarez party, and strengthens the Zuloagists. This fact, which was no doubt well considered by Spain in her late demonstration at Tampico, will probably deter either England, France, or the United States from adopting, at this juncture, so extreme a course as that which has just secured to a few Spaniards a sum of money, without in the least enhancing the dignity or the respectability of the Spanish Government.

The late occurrences at Tampico do nothing to clear up the difficulties of the Mexican question, and can have no other effect that that of removing Spain, for the present, from the side of ZULOAGA, and withdrawing her active aid from the enemies of Constitutional Government in Mexico. The internal condition of that unhappy country still remains as complicated, as miserable, and almost as hopeless as ever.

President Monroe and his Doctrine.

If there be any sense of earthly things in souls set free, the late President MONROE must look with mingled scorn and surprise upon the scene of his mortal labors. With scorn, certainly, as finding that the lapse of thirty years has made men no wiser; that grave National questions are handled now, as in his time they were, in the spirit of sixpenny partisan passion; and that the highest office in the land has become a mere Court of Appeals for Tammany Hall, in which the squabbles of New-York wire-pullers take precedence of the most important debates of war and peace as between the nations of the world;—and surely with surprise, to find that he himself is playing a part he never dreamed of in his country's history; that his venerable ghost (left sleeping quietly so long within the borrowed grave to which his country's prudent economy consigned her Chief's remains) has been invoked to stand before the Secretary of State's office and warn all foreign intruders off these premises, doing a kind of mystical policeman's duty towards all the kingdoms of the earth.

In the year 1823, Mr. MONROE, then President of the United States, was advised by Mr. RUSH, then our Minister at London, that the Holy Alliance of Austria, Russia, Prussia, and France, having resolved to set the European house in order by knocking RIEGO and the Spanish Liberals on the head, had also determined to bring America to reason, to reëstablish the Castilian sway in the New World, and to strike down, in every place within their reach, whatever Power dared assert itself as founded on the right of the people to self-government. This determination, however veiled, was a virtual denunciation of the tenure by which the House of Hanover held England, as well as of the claim of the United States to an independent existence. England had, therefore, abstained from and protested against the joint action of the other Powers; and, through her Premier, Mr. CANNING, she advised America to do likewise. Inspired by his Secretary of State JOHN QUINCY ADAMS, who was always ready to take up the gauntlet of despotism whenever he found it thrown down on either side the Atlantic, Mr. MONROE responded to the appeal of England, and gave the rulers of Europe to understand in the mildest terms compatible with truth, that "we should consider any attempt on their part to extend their system to any portion of this hemisphere as dangerous to our peace and safety.

"With the existing Colonies or dependencies of any European power," said Mr. MONROE, "we have not interfered and shall not interfere. But with the American Governments who have declared their independence, and maintained it, and whose independence we have on great considerations and on just principles acknowledged, we could not view any interposition for the purpose of oppressing them, or controlling in any other manner their destiny, by any European Power, in any other light than as the manifestation of an unfriendly disposition toward the United States" * * * * "It is impossible," he continued, "that the Allied Powers should extend their political system to any portion of either Continent without endangering our peace and happiness; nor can any one believe that our Southern brethren, if left to themselves, would adopt it of their own accord. It is equally impossible, therefore, that we should behold any such interposition in any form with indifference."

Again, in December of the ensuing year, 1824, Mr. MONROE alluded to this subject, for the purpose of asserting the completeness of the organization of the New World. The old "open territories" of the Americas, over which, with a sublime disregard of the heathen aborigines and their disgusting rites, the Pope had exercised so absolute an authority, giving them away to his faithful sons, were now, said Mr. MONROE, to be considered as closed. No Power was henceforth to take with the colonists of Europe such liberties as those colonists had taken with their tawny predecessors. We had either exterminated or suppressed the natives to that degree that we, with our Spanish friends to the south of us, had ourselves become the genuine natives. Henceforth we shou'd require to manage our own affairs, and to settle our own waste lands in our own way. This was a discreet, decisive and authoritative proclamation. In fact it opened a new era of history. It announced the formation of an American system, which might undergo many modifications, but which must find its own law, and be within itself what Europe was and is—a self-administered, self-controlling world of diverse interests, balancing and balanced under the operation of influences native to the several States. It was in this way the corollary of the declaration made the year before, and, as will be seen, had less reference to America beyond our limits than to Europe. It had, indeed, nothing to do with "manifest destiny," as now commonly understood,—with the extension of the area of Freedom,—with annexation, or with fillibusterism.

Judge, then, whether we are not right in saying that the shade of President MONROE would indeed be startled from its propriety, (if there be propriety in shades!) on finding what the "Monroe Doctrine" has become on the lips and from the pen of General LEWIS CASS. For General CASS appeals to it as his authority for declaring that we could not peacefully behold the exercise of a Protectorate by a European Power over any independent State of this continent, even at the request of that State. The appeal is idle. Not to speak of the stultification which such language receives from the fact that we *have* looked peacefully on upon at least two such Protectorates, one in Honduras and one in Nicaragua at any time these last ten or twenty years, the doctrine of Mr. MONROE will bear no such construction. It was conceived in a different spirit and for a very different end. We ourselves hold that General CASS has merely muddled a clear and sound idea. We believe, ardently and firmly, that the time must come, and will, when any Protectorate but that of the United States, over an American nation, will be impossible; and when the flag of this country will be recognized throughout the continent as the symbol of peace and the guarantee of order. But we look for the advent of that time to a policy as unlike that of Mr. BUCHANAN and Mr. CASS as any policy can be; to a policy of justice abroad and law at home; [illegible] policy [illegible] progressive, clearing away the incumbrances of the past by reforms in the sense of freedom, and opening the vistas of the future by bold assertions of absolute right.

Meanwhile, let us forbear, if but for very shame, to trouble the ashes of our dead President. We have his family among us—its sad remnant, at least—ill-cared for, wasting away. While we leave them to their lonely want and silent endurance, let us not flaunt the name of MONROE upon banners that he knew not of, nor bear it in the van of enterprises from which his patriotism and his loyal good sense would have recoiled with indignation.

The Laborer and his Hire.

It is an old complaint that Republics are ungrateful. But gratitude is a luxury with which brave men, who love their duty more than its reward, can afford to dispense. It is justice only that no man can lose with patience. Deny him this, and the best of patriots must feel his spirit grow bitter within him. And this, it seems, that our magnanimous Government now proposes to deny to one of the best of our public servants, in return for a service, of which the value to the actual Administration itself was hardly less than its importance to the character and good name of the nation.

In arresting the fillibuster WM. WALKER, on the soil of Nicaragua, Commodore PAULDING saved the President of the United States from the worst consequences of his own paltering policy. Perhaps this was a crime in the Presidential eyes—for there are men in the world to whom nothing is so intolerable as a benefit. However, Commodore PAULDING had done a good work for the people, too; and the Executive therefore forbore to strike at him officially and openly. The Nicaraguan authorities gladly pardoned his technical violation of their soil, in consideration of his substantial loyalty to public law: and all honest men throughout this Union rejoiced to know that the flag of the Republic was still in the keeping of officers who would not tamely see it prostituted by ruffians and vagabonds, in the face of day, and to the most barbarous practices. The President, alone, had nothing of encouragement or recompense to offer.

An opportunity has at last, however, occurred for the doing of simple justice; an opportunity which the Government of the United States cannot let pass without deep disgrace. One of the persons seized in the company of the pirate WALKER, by Commodore PAULDING, and handed over to the mercy of America—on which they had no claim—instead of to the justice of Nicaragua—which had a pretty positive claim on them—has gravely and audaciously undertaken to prosecute this gallant officer for "damages" then done him. Upon the effrontery of this suit we do not care to enlarge. It is an exhibition not very creditable, certainly, to the land in which it is made. If the persons concerned in it are answerable to public opinion, they will doubtless meet with their deserts. But this, probably, is not the case, nor do they specially concern us. It is with the fact that the Government has thus far declined to assume or even to provide for the defence of Commodore PAULDING in this matter that we have to do. In the last resort we trust that the citizens of this country in their individual capacity would gladly testify to their sense of the Commodore's services by a public subscription towards the expenses of meeting such a persecution as this. But the responsible servants of the people, the Government itself, should be made to understand at once that this duty devolves upon themselves. In the present aspect of the Central American question, this is as much a matter of policy as of principle. To trifle with it is to bring our good faith into discredit abroad, to paralyze the energy of our officers at home, and to lend renewed encouragement to the "pestilent fellows" who have already done so much to embroil us with the world, and to lower us in our own eyes.

MEXICO.

Additional Items of Intelligence—Later from the Rio Grande.

From private sources we are enabled to add the following interesting particulars to those furnished by our own correspondent.

President JUAREZ, at Vera Cruz, is awaiting the receipt of duties from vessels lately arrived, for the funds with which to move his forces against the City of Mexico; and is not at all intimidated by the rumors of ECHEAGARY's march upon Vera Cruz, for it is well known that the latter General is still without the heavy artillery necessary for a siege, and that while his scanty forces remain in the vicinity of Perote, he has been compelled to return to Mexico for funds.

ZULOAGA still firmly relies on the Viscount GABRIAC's promises of European intervention in his favor, but is greatly harrassed for want of funds. The clergy recently loaned him their obligations for $700,000; but of this $200,000 had to be used in refunding a forced loan temporarily made from the merchants a few days before, and of the remaining $500,000 he could only realize $250,000—the money lenders exacting these onerous terms, which he was forced to accept.

VIDAURRI is at Monterey reorganizing his forces and awaiting additional troops from Tamaulipas, when he will move on San Luis.

General ARTEAGA is on the road from Queretaro to Guanajuato with 1,500 men, to cut off the communication between Miramon and the capital, and should it be necessary will march to the Puente Calderon to DEGOLLADO's assistance.

ALATRISTE, Constitutional Governor of the State of Puebla, is in the plains of Apam with 2,000 men, and with General CAMAÑO who has arrived at Matamoras de Izucar with 3,000 men from the south, will soon make an attack on the city of Puebla.

Gen. BLANCO in the south of Michoacan has a strong force, as have also Generals HUERTA and SABAS ITURBIDE in the Bahia.

Aside from all these strong combinations against ZULOAGA, the chance of his remaining in power is jeopardized by a new movement looking to a union between the Moderados of both the Liberal and Conservative, or more properly the Constitutional and Church parties, having for its object to place at the head of Government some person who could command the confidence of the more moderate men of each party, and effect a reconciliation of the conflicting interests. This movement, however, lacks the support of the extreme Liberals, for it still involves the setting aside of the present Constitution.

Statements from authoritative channels lead to the conviction that the present difficulties with Spain are in course of satisfactory arrangement. ZULOAGA has acceded to all the demands of Spain on his part, and on the other hand the Constitutionalists, under JUAREZ, are equally ready to make reparation for the forced loans at Tampico, and have concluded satisfactory arrangements which have been already ratified by Gen. CONCHA.

It was reported in the City of Mexico, by an *attaché* of the French Legation, that Admiral PENAUD had come to bombard Vera Cruz, in compliance with Viscount GABRIAC's promise to ZULOAGA, under the pretext that Governor ZAMORA had appropriated the interest of the French claims; but, on the contrary, the Admiral was met, on his arrival, by a deputation from the French residents in Mexico, who had drawn up a full statement, in which they expressed the strongest sentiments in favor of the Liberal Party, from whom they stated they had uniformly received good treatment, and in whose honesty and good faith they expressed the fullest reliance. This had caused the Admiral to change his views, and he had sent to his Government *direct*, a full statement of the condition of affairs in Mexico, based upon the facts as he had now received them, and any movement on his part would be deferred until further orders from home. Since then Governor ZAMORA had been handsomely received on board the Admiral's vessel, and salutes had been exchanged with the Castle of San Juan d'Ulca.

By the arrival of the steamship *Suwanee*, at New-Orleans, we have dates from the Rio Grande to Dec. 10.

The *Suwanee* left in the harbor of Brazos, schooner *Chrysolite*, ACKLEY, loading for New-York; schooner *Jonathan Johnson*, discharging; schooner *Margaret A. Johnson*, loading for New-Orleans. This [illegible] vessel had been ashore inside the harbor, but got off without damage.

The latest news from Vera Cruz and Tampico received at Matamoros was to the 29th ult.—not as late as we have received.

Gen. VIDAURRI was, at last accounts, actively engaged at Monterey, in raising a new army to take his stand against the Zuloaga Government.

Intelligence had been received at Matamoros that a Mr. GLEEN, an American citizen, on his way from the interior, was shot in the vicinity of Saltillo. The particulars of the affair had not fully appeared, but it was looked upon as a most brutal murder. Gen. VIDAURRI, who is Governor of Saltillo, it is represented, had manifested every disposition to probe the matter to the bottom, and to mete out justice to the perpetrators.

The Brownsville *Flag* of the 1st inst. says:

A letter from Monterey states that Gen. VIDAURRI is again endeavoring to "raise the wind," and that he has already organized a force of 500 men to sally upon San Luis, which is only garrisoned at present by about 800 men.

The same writer says that there is a rumor current throughout the State of Nuevo Leon that Commissioner MATA has returned to Vera Cruz, bringing proposals to President JUAREZ from our Government, relative to a railroad to be built by the latter from New-Mexico through Chihuahua, &c., for which grant our Government will give to that of Mexico a remuneration of $5,000,000.

The Liberal forces are being concentrated around the capital, and we may soon expect to hear of its capture by them, or of some severe fighting which will doubtless take place ere long.

Settlement of the Spanish-Mexican Quarrel.

The following is an extract from an Havana letter received by the *Black Warrior*, dated 16th inst.:

"The imbroglio between Spain and Mexico has been arranged, Gen. GARZA of Tampico, having refunded all the moneys obtained from Spanish subjects by way of forced loan, and the present Government of Mexico having acceded to all the demands made by Spain against Mexico. The Spanish flag was saluted with 21 guns from the forts at Tampico."

Arrival of the Edinburgh.

The steamship *Edinburgh*, of the Glasgow line, from Glasgow on the 2d December, reached this port yesterday, at noon.

The *Edinburgh* experienced for fifteen days after sailing a continuous succession of very heavy westerly gales, accompanied by high dangerous seas. For the rest of the passage, winds still westerly, but more moderate.

On 18th inst., at 6 P. M., in lat. 44° 15′ N., long. 54° 20′ W., passed a large steamship, supposed the mail steamer from Boston and Halifax for Liverpool.

The Glasgow *Journal* of Dec. 1, says: "The *Edinburgh* arrived at her berth on Friday, Nov. 26, at 4 P. M. Her full cargo was discharged in two days; has since been again fully loaded with goods, and sails to-day with a considerable number of passengers; so that she has not been in port four days."

Amusements.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC.—The last entertainment of the Mount Vernon Festival took place last night, and was a success. For the first time in New York, Mr. MUSARD had the satisfaction of beholding an audience really disposed to promenade, and a house crowded in every part. If two or three such results could be obtained, there would be no difficulty in making the promenade concert a permanent institution, even as it is in London. The programme contained many of Mr. MUSARD's best pieces, and was strengthened by the infusion of a stronger element, under the *bâton* of Mr. BERGMANN, our very spirited Philharmonic conductor.

In consequence of the success of this entertainment, Mr. ULLMANN announces another monster concert on Friday next. The superb decorations of the Mount Vernon Ball will be retained. Haydn's Christmas Symphony is announced for performance, in addition to the lighter features of the programme.

COOPER INSTITUTE.—Mr. ROBERT GOLDBECK gives his third and last concert here to-night. The programme contains some of the composer's best pieces. Miss HATTIE ANDEM, Miss KATE V. COMSTOCK, Dr. GUIBUCKE, ED. MOLLENHAUER, and W. MASON will assist Mr. GOLDBECK.

The Charge Against Charles Knox.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

SIR: My attention has been called to the report in yesterday's TIMES of the dismissal of the complaint against CHARLES KNOX for perjury, by Justice OSBORN. That report is erroneous and calculated to mislead the public as to the facts. Upon the state of facts before the Magistrate various legal questions were presented and discussed. Among, others, whether the testimony was sufficient under the rule requiring two witnesses to prove the perjury, and as to the effect of the 157th section of the Code, which provides that "no pleading can be used in a criminal prosecution against the party as proof of a fact admitted or alleged in such pleading." The defendant's counsel contended that this prevented any successful prosecution for perjury on sworn pleadings under the Code.

This view was entertained by Judge OSBORN. A more important legal question, and one of deeper interest to the public, can scarcely be imagined. The papers in the case are to be sent by the Justice to the office of the District-Attorney, and this important question will be adjudicated upon by a higher tribunal.

JAMES M. SMITH,
Counsel for Prosecution.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange—Dec. 22.

$10,000	Tenn. 6s '90	94¾
20,000	Missouri St. 6s	89¾
5 000	do s10	89½
2,000	Cal. St. 7s, N.Bs.	91¾
5,000	do	91½
1,000	M.C.R. 8 ℘ ct.1st m. S F. C. Bs	94½
3,000	Ill. C. R. Bs	84½
10,000	do b30	84¾
19,000	do	84½
10,000	do s30	84
12,000	La C.& M.L.G.B.	24
7,000	do	24½
40	Phenix Bank	114
20	Atlantic Bank	85
67	Del. & Hud.Can.Co.	96½
50	do b60	96⅝
50	do b60	96½
50	Pacific M. S. Co. b10	90¾
50	do s10	90½
50	do s3	90¾
100	do s60	90
100	do b30	90⅜
50	do b20	90⅝
100	Guilford Min. Co.	1½
20	Am. Guano Co.	7½
780	N. Y. Central RR.	83¾
13	do	83½
100	do s5	83⅝
100	do s30	83⅜
100	do ....bnw	83⅝
600	do s5	83¼
500	do s10	83¼
50	do b60	83½
50	do b60	83⅝
360	Erie Railroad	17
200	do b60	17
300	do	16⅞
150	Hud. R. R. R.	33¼
50	do s30	33
20	Cl., Col. & Cin. R.	95¾
10	Mil. & Miss. R R.	12
50	Har. Railroad	11½
200	do	11⅛
10	N. H. & H. R. R.	122⅛
400	Read. Railroad..b30	51¾
100	do b7	51⅞
600	do	51⅞
100	Mich. Cen. R.R. b60	50
100	do s3	50
25	do	50¼
100	do s30	50¼
100	do b60	50½
200	do s3	50½
100	M. S. & N. Ia.R. b30	20
60	do	19¾
250	do s30	19¾
100	do b3	20
100	M. S. & N. I.g.s. b30	47¼
75	do	47½
50	do b7	47¾
5	Panama R.R. ... s10	120
50	do s60	120
50	do s30	120
75	Ill. Cen. R. R.	66¾
250	do	66½
50	do b30	66¾
40	Cl. & Pitts. R.	8½
625	Gal. & Ch. R.	70
50	do s15	69⅞
200	do b30	70
50	do b60	70
150	do b3	70
1,100	Cl. & Tol. R.	31½
150	Chicago & R.I.R.R.	58¾
100	do b60	58½
480	do	58¼
100	do b60	58¾
200	do	58
100	do b60	58
150	do	57⅞
15	La C. & Mil. R. R.	3
200	do	2⅞

SECOND BOARD.

$10,000	Virginia 6s..s30	97¼
11,000	do	97¾
2,000	Mo. St. 6s	89¾
3,000	N. Y. Cent. R. 6s	90¾
1,000	Ill. C. R. bs	84¾
5,000	do s30	84¾
2,000	M.C.R. 8 ℘ ct. 1st m. S. F. Cvt Bs	94¾
4,000	Har. R.R.1st M.	88¾
110	Pacific M. S. Co.	90⅞
5	do	90¾
47	Merchants' Bank	110¾
14	Im. & Tra. Bk.	111¾
100	Park Bank	109
25	Penn. Coal Co.	80
100	N. Y. C. R. R. ..s10	83¾
150	do b3	83¾
200	do b60	83⅞
700	do s3	83⅜
50	do s30	83⅞
50	Erie Railroad	17
137	do	16⅞
400	L. C. & Mil. R. R.	3
100	Hud. Riv. R. R.	33¾
450	do b60	33⅜
300	do	33½
100	Reading R. R. b15	51½
300	Mich. Cen. R. b60	51
50	M.S.&N.Ia.G.S.	47⅝
150	M.S.&N.Ia.R. b3	20
50	do b30	20¼
100	Panama R. R. s60	120
50	Ill. Cen. R. R. b30	66
50	do s30	65¾
25	do	65¾
50	do s60	65½
50	do	66
50	Gal. & Chi. R. R.	70
150	do	70½
100	do s15	70
200	do b30	70½
70	Chi. & R. I. R. R.	58⅜
100	do b60	58⅝
200	do	58½
500	do	58½

REPORTED SALES BY AUCTION.

$1,000	Mil.City7s	88
2,000	Mil.& Hor.RR.8's	41
2,000	Lee Co. Iowa, 8s	55
2,000	Missouri 6s	89¼
$2,000	Cal. 7 p. c. Bonds	91
20	Chatham Bank	85
30	Am. Exch. Bank	106¼
20	Marine Bank	85
50	Far. & Cit. B'k L. I.	44¼
20	N.Wrld Fire Ins.Co.	96¼
45	Sixth-avenue R. R.	121¾
5	do	122¾
5	do	123¼
42	LaC. & Mil.R.R.Co.	2⅞
50	KeroseneGasCo.pr.sh	$3¼
100	do ..do	3
50	KeroseneGasCo.prsh	$2⅞
200	N.Bruns.C.LandCo.	2⅛
50	Am. Guano Co. p. s.	$8¾
20	Knick. Stage Co.	44¼
10	Bank N. Y.	107
5	Imp.&Trad.Bk.	112
10	Bk.Commonwealth	100¼
10	Mech.Bnk,Wmsbrg	61¾
10	Indem. Fire Ins.Co.	99¾
100	FiremenFnd.Ins.Co	95¾
70	Goodhue FireIns.Co	92¼

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 22—P. M.

There was an improved business in Stocks to-day, and well distributed over the list. Prices in the afternoon closed firm. The movement for the *Bull* account is not very decided, the majority of the jobbers inside the Board, and of the speculators of the ante-room, being on the other tack. But we observe to day that notwithstanding the prevailing purpose to bellow down the Western Road Stocks, the increased depression of yesterday and Monday has elicited some orders to buy for the rise, and considerable discussion as to the intrinsic productiveness of certain lines, bought at present low prices. Granting that six or eight months must still elapse before their dividends are resumed, Galena at 70, Rock Island at 58, and Michigan Central at 50, are very different purchases from the same stocks a few months ago at 86, 75 and 65 respectively, when no more could be said for the unembarrassed finances of these three Companies than at present. The prospects for the Winter and early Spring traffic may be said to have fallen off, but by no means in proportion to the large depreciation in the price of the Stocks. We volunteer no opinion of our own on the subject, but simply present some of the points of prevailing discussion, on the Street. The recent fall in Galena is equal to two years' dividend at 8 ℘ cent. ℘ annum; whereas, even with the [illegible] failing of a portion of the present management who will go out of office in June, the chances are the dividends will be resumed in six or seven months. A good part of the latest decline in all the Western Stocks has undoubtedly grown out of the eagerness and facility with which they are sold down by the Street speculators for the *Bear* account, who have not been so successful in selling against the dividend shares. There was a recovery of 1@1½ ℘ cent. in Michigan Central, and the bids for Galena and Rock Island were ¼ ℘ cent. better in the afternoon. Illinois Central continues weak for the shares, 66@65¾ ℘ cent. There are buyers of the Bonds at the decline of yesterday. State Stocks are quiet. New-York Central shares improved to 83½@⅝, with more doing than on Tuesday. Hudson, Harlem and Reading steady. Panama firm at 120½ for the cash stock, and some contracts, 60 days' option to the seller, were taken at 120. Pacific Mail continues firm at 90½, notwithstanding a fair offering from sellers at the early Board. Delaware and Hudson 96½ ℘ cent. in demand. The General Market left off firm, and the feeling is extending that the close of the Old Year, and the opening of the New, will bring round an improved demand from outside parties, particularly for all the dividend Securities, and such of the Western Shares and Bonds as seem free from financial embarrassment through 1859.

Since the sailing of the *Persia* early this morning, with a moderate mail and $675,417 in Gold, we hear of nothing done in Exchange. There is no mail steamer to sail on Saturday, Christmas Day. The Discount Brokers report a dull time to-day. Nearly all the good short bills are taken up directly at Bank, and of prime long dates the offering is but moderate. The Stock Brokers are light borrowers of Money on demand, at 4 ℘ cent. The market as noticed yesterday shows nothing of the usual activity of preparation for closing up the accounts of the old year, or for the 1st and 4th of January payments.

The Sub-Treasury received, to-day, $114,567; paid out $235,658; balance, this afternoon, $6,004,495.

COTTON CROP MOVEMENT—SINCE SEPT. 1.

	1858.	1857.	1856.	1855.	1854
Rec. at Ports	1,486,000	832,000	1,204,000	1,252,000	784,000
Ex. to G. B.	436,000	283,000	237,000	415,000	316,000
Ex. to France	208,000	80,000	116,000	156,000	85,000
Ex. to other F. P.	86,000	60,000	65,000	108,000	42,000
Total Export	730,000	423,000	418,000	679,000	443,000
St'k on hand	660,000	433,000	610,000	525,000	354,000

Of which, during the past week, included in the above:

Rec. at Ports	136,000	106,000	128,000	144,000	77,000
Ex. to G. B.	71,000	20,000	26,000	28,000	54,000
Ex. to France	27,000	13,000	14,000	20,000	7,000
Ex. to other F. P.	13,000	17,000	17,000	14,000	6,000
Total Exports	111,000	50,000	57,000	62,000	67,000

The movement is growing large and interesting. The Exports this week reach 111,000 bales, equal to an Exchange on Europe on nearly *six million dollars*. And as the receipts at the ports are 654,000 bales ahead of last year, there is more talk of a crop of 3,600,000 bales. Messrs. WRIGHT & Co., in their circular, report of the Southern markets:

"The particulars received by mail, as given in detail, show an active business for export to all points, except Great Britain, as well as for domestic consumption, with a slight advance in price. By telegraph for a week later we learn that in Mobile and New-Orleans a falling off in the demand had occurred, the sales being about one half of the quantity received, the markets closing quietly at a slight decline upon receipt of the advices per *Arabia*, with Liverpool dates to the 4th December. It is a matter of surprise here how prices should have been so well maintained in the South—in the ports as well as in the interior towns—in view of the low limits for English account, in spite of the dull accounts we have received from Liverpool, and the general indisposition of parties here to enter upon operations at current quotations. The cause will be found to have arisen from the great abundance of money encouraging local speculation, as may be easily understood from the fact that the bulk of the stock in the interior towns—and it is everywhere large—has passed from planters' into second hands."

The following is a statement of the earnings of the New-York Central Railroad for the month of November, 1858, compared with its earnings for the corresponding month of the previous year:

1858	$595,218 92
1857	615,367 01
Decrease	$20,148 09

PITTSBURG BANKS—DEC. 20.

	Circulation.	Specie.	Loans.	Deposits.
Bank Pittsburg	$322,226	$529,533	$1,758,553	$776,019
Exchange Bank	584,965	248,210	1,462,961	425,936
M. and M. Bank	216,562	150,614	869,621	186,413
Citizens' Bank	159,205	84,495	593,079	78,650
Mechanics' Bk.	302,895	115,957	757,099	101,739
Iron City Bank	231,415	109,426	632,683	146,222
Alleghany Bank	261 830	102,018	641,361	84,611
Dec. 20	$2,079,118	$1,340,255	$6,714,997	$1,799,590
Dec. 13	2,071,813	1,308,530	6,591,749	1,802,214

ST. LOUIS BANKS—DEC. 19.

	Circulation.	Exchange.	Specie.
Merchants'	$482,915	$750,397 16	$426,148 98
St. Louis	253,970	316,476 31	170,407 75
Southern	306,375	348,957 44	202,033 95
Mechanics'	346,430	387,153 91	222,278 42
Exchange	274,515	217,686 97	203,274 96
State	439,560	1,024,168 48	546,927 96
Dec. 19	$2,103,765	$3,044,840 27	$1,771,072 02
Dec. 11	2,086,035	3,122,842 93	1,747,065 62

BANKING AND FINANCIAL ADVERTISEMENTS

SIGHT AND TIME BILLS, on all the Southern cities, purchased by DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.
SEPT. 24, 1858.

Markets by Telegraph.

NEW-ORLEANS, Tuesday, Dec. 21.

The *Arabia's* advices had an unfavorable effect on our COTTON market, causing a decline of ⅛c.@¼c.; sales to-day 13,000 bales Middling at 11¼c.@11⅜c.; sales last three days 18,500 bales; receipts, 42,500 bales, against 56,500 last year; stock at this port, 325,500, against 314,500 bales last year. FLOUR steady at $5 25@$5 75; sales—2,000 bbls. WHEAT firm at $1 25 for white. PORK dull: Mess, $18 50. LARD, in kegs, 12c. FREIGHTS—Cotton to Liverpool, ⅜d.; Sugar to New-York; $5 ℘ hhd.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

FLOUR firm, at $5 12½@$5 25. WHEAT dull; Red, $1 23@$1 26; White, $1 33@$1 38. CORN dull; sales 5,000 bush. new Yellow, at 72c.; old, 81c. MESS PORK, $18. WHISKY steady, at 24½c.@26c.

BALTIMORE, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

FLOUR steady; Howard-street and Ohio, $5 12½. WHEAT buoyant; White, $1 35@$1 50. CORN active and 2c. higher; White, 66c.@67c.; Yellow, 68c.@70c. Mess PORK steady at $17 25. LARD, 11c. WHISKY dull at 25½c.@26c.

NEW-ORLEANS, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

COTTON—Sales, to-day, 15,000 bales at unchanged prices. FLOUR dull, and declined 12½c.; sales 3,000 bbls at $5. FREIGHTS—Cotton, to Liverpool, ⅜d.; Indian Bagging, 13c.

CHARLESTON, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

COTTON—Sales, to-day, 2,800 bales, at prices ranging from 10c.@12c., the market closing firm.

SAVANNAH, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

COTTON—The sales to-day add up 3,000 bales at unchanged prices.

CINCINNATI, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

FLOUR firm and unchanged. WHISKY 22½c. Hogs dull and prices weak, but not quotably lower. *Receipts to-day*—3,500 Mess Pork, $17 75.

Philadelphia Stock Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Wednesday, Dec. 22.

Stocks dull. Pennsylvania State 5s, 95½; Long Island Railroad, 25¾; Reading Railroad, 48; Long Island Railroad, 11¾; Pennsylvania Railroad, 42¾.

Movements of Ocean Steamers.

FOR EUROPE.

Names.	Date.	Leaves.	For.
Arabia	Dec. 29	Boston	Liverpool.
Circassian	Dec. 30	New-York	Galway.
Kangaroo	Jan. 1	New-York	Liverpool.
Asia	Jan. 5	New-York	Liverpool.
Fulton	Jan. 8	New-York	Southam'n
Canada	Jan. 12	Boston	Liverpool.
City of Baltimore	Jan. 15	New-York	Liverpool.
FROM EUROPE.			
Ariel	Dec. 1	Southampton	New-York.
Saxonia	Dec. 4	Southampton	New-York.
Karnak	Dec. 4	Liverpool	New-York.
Weser	Dec. 4	Bremen	New-York.
Kangaroo	Dec. 8	Liverpool	New-York.
Circassian	Dec. 9	Galway	New-York.
Asia	Dec. 11	Liverpool	New-York.
Fulton	Dec. 15	Southampton	New-York.
FOR THE PACIFIC COAST.			
Washington	Dec. 23	New-York	San Juan.
Quaker City	Jan. 12	New-Orleans	Minatitlan.
FOR MEXICO.			
Tennessee	Jan. 1	New-Orleans	Vera Cruz.
FOR HAVANA.			
Black Warrior	Dec. 27	New-York	Havana.
Isabel	Jan. 4	Charleston	Havana.

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[Advertisement.]

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[Advertisement.]

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[Advertisement.]

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The lovers of fat beef are invited to give him a call.

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UNDERHILL—HOPKINS.—At Bloomingdale, on Tuesday, Dec. 21, by his Honor the Mayor, W. ALFRED UNDERHILL and Miss ANNA HOPKINS, daughter of Gerard Hopkins, Esq., all of this City.

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MCLEAN—BEATTY.—In this City, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 21, by the Rev. Thos. McFarlan, ALLAN MCLEAN to SARAH ANN BEATTY, both of this City.

VAN ORDEN—CARMAN.—At Harlem, on Wednesday, Dec. 1, at the residence of the bride's brother, by the Rev. J. C. Washburne, JOHN VAN ORDEN, of the City of New-York, to Miss MARTHA JANE CARMAN, of Harlem.

DIED.

OKIE.—In this City, on Tuesday, Dec. 21, of paralysis, ELVIRA F., wife of Thomas P. Okie, aged 49 years, 11 months and 21 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, on Thursday, Dec. 23, at 1 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 145 Waverley-place.

WHITNEY.—In this City, on Tuesday morning, Dec. 21, SAMUEL SUYDAM WHITNEY, eldest son of Stephen Whitney, Esq.

The relatives and friends of the family are invited to attend the funeral, at 1 o'clock, on Thursday, from Trinity Church, without further notice.

DE GRAW.—In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, at No. 160 Delancey-st., of apoplexy, JASPER DE GRAW, in the 34th year of his age.

Due notice will be given hereafter of the funeral.

MONK.—In this City, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 22, STEPHEN P. MONK, in the 60th year of his age.

The funeral service will be held in the chapel of St. Luke's, (on 54th-st., corner of 5th-av.,) this day, (Thursday,) at 1 o'clock. His friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend.

HOGG.—In this City, on Sunday evening, Dec. 19, EMILY, wife of A. W. Hogg, and only daughter of George and Hannah Jardine, of this City, in her 30th year.

The funeral service will be held at St. Stephen's Church, corner Broome and Chrystie sts., on Friday, Dec. 24, at 1 o'clock. Her remains will be taken to Trinity Cemetery. The friends of the family are invited to attend.

KELLOCK.—In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, ISABELLA BRYDEN, wife of John Kellock, and daughter of James Bryden, Esq., of Boston, aged 36 years.

The relatives and friends of the family are requested to attend her funeral, from her late residence, No. 316 Broome-st., on Friday, 24th inst., at 1 o'clock.

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ECCLES.—In this City, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, after a short but severe illness, FREDRICK EDWIN, youngest son of John K. and Anne Letitia Eccles, aged 3 years and 18 days.

The friends and acquaintances of the family are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, on Friday, at 1 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 33 Boorman-place, West 33d-st., without further invitation.

HOYT.—In this City, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 22, M. AMELIA, daughter of Abijah Hubbard, of Sauquoit, Oneida Co., N. Y., and wife of Purdy B. Hoyt.

The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from her late residence, No. 24 Jefferson-st., to-morrow (Friday) morning, at 10 o'clock, without further notice.

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RAY.—In this City, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 22, EDWIN CLEMENT RAY, only child of James D. and Sarah M. Ray, aged 1 year, 1 month and 25 days.

His remains will be taken to Utica for interment.

GALLAGHER.—In this City, on Wednesday morning, Dec. 22, at No. 91 Madison-st., REDESA ANNE, infant child of Anthony T. and Anne Gallagher, aged 3 weeks and 4 days.

THOMSON.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, ANNA H. VAN CLEVE, wife of Mortimer Thomson, aged 18 years and 2 days, leaving an infant son but 12 hours old.

To say that Mrs. Thomson was the light and the joy of her happy home, and that her departure for heaven has forever saddened the hearts of all who knew her, can bring but slight comfort to those to whom this blow is the great sorrow of their lives.

Funeral services will be held on Friday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, at her late residence, No. 102 Hampden-st., near Atlantic-st., Brooklyn. The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

FIRTH.—In Brooklyn, on Wednesday, Dec. 22, after a short illness, THEODOCIA, wife of S. Archibald Firth, of Bermuda.

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Sun rises.... 7 21 | Sun sets.... 4 37 | Moon sets.... 8 38
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WIND—During the day, N. W., and very fresh.

Sailed.

Steamships Persia, Judkins, Liverpool; Star of the South, Lyon, Rockland; Roanoke, Skinner, Norfolk, &c. Ship Constantine, Macoduck, Mobile. Brig John H. Jones, Mills, Charleston.

The ship Palestine, Pratt, for London, is at anchor in the North River.

By Telegraph.

NORFOLK, Dec. 22—Arr. schr. Anna M. Edwards, from Turk's Island.

Arr. in Hampton Roads—Schr. Waukkeag, from Dominique, with fruit, for orders.

SAVANNAH, Dec. 22—Arr. ship Shannon, from Glasgow.

NEW-ORLEANS, Dec. 21—Arr. ships B. S. Kimball, and Mountaineer, from Liverpool; Andover, from New-York.

Dec. 22—Arr. ships Union, Escort, and Victory, from New-York; bark J. H. Fanning, from do.

Miscellaneous.

The royal mail steamship Persia sailed yesterday for Liverpool, with the European mails and 60 passengers, among whom we note Gen. Baez, Ex-President of Dominica, and Senor Juan Osma, Peruvian Minister, and family.

The ship Jacob Bell was this morning taken on the large Balance Dock, for repairs. She will be stripped, recaulked, and newly coppered.

The clipper-ship Young America will this afternoon be taken on the great Balance Dock, for examination.

BALTIMORE, Dec. 21.—The following are additional particulars in regard to the ship Flora McDonald: Sailed from Liverpool Oct. 16; had fair passage to the Banks of Newfoundland, where she lost sails, mainyard, sprung mainmast, and commenced leaking. Tried to make Bermuda, but could not, and bore away for St. Thomas, where she arrived Dec. 3, the crew worn out with 30 days pumping. She will probably be detained at St. Thomas 2½ months. Fell in, on the Banks, with the Br. ship Jane Black, in a sinking condition; took off crew and passengers, and abandoned her.—[By letter to the Secretary of Board of Underwriters.]

ST. THOMAS, Dec. 1.—The brig Orland, (previously reported,) repaired here, and proceeded on her voyage, but returned the next day, with pumps choked. Her cargo has been sold here, and brought the sum of $1,064 78.

The ship Milton, of Boston, has had her mainmast condemned.

OFFICIAL CANVASS.

BOARD OF CITY CANVASSERS. DEC. 21, 1858.—At a meeting of the Board of City Canvassers, held Dec. 21, 1858, the following resolution was adopted, viz.:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the City Canvassers be and is hereby authorized to publish the official report of the City Canvass in the following papers: New-York *Daily Express*, New-York *Journal of Commerce*, NEW-YORK TIMES, New-York *Herald*, *Daily Tribune*, *Sunday Times*, *Weekly Leader*, *Sunday Atlas*, *Sunday Dispatch*, *Staats Zeitung*, *Irish American*, *Truth Teller*, *Commercial Advertiser*, *Courier and Enquirer* and *Evening Post*.

D. T. VALENTINE, Clerk.

OFFICIAL CANNASS.

Statement of the City Canvassers of the City and County of New-York in relation to votes cast for Comptroller; two Governors of the Almshouse, an Alderman in each of the Aldermanic Districts of this City, having an odd numerical designation; two Constables in each Ward; six Councilmen in each Senatorial District; one Commissioner of Common Schools for each Ward; one Inspector of Common Schools for each Ward; two Trustees of Common Schools for each Ward, and such other School Offices as have become vacant by resignation or from other causes.

The Board of City Canvassers of the City of New-York, having met at the Chamber of the Board of Aldermen, City Hall, on the 9th, 10th, 11th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th and 20th days of December, 1858, to canvass and estimate the votes given in the several Election Districts of said City and County, at the Election held Dec. 7, 1858, pursuant to the provisions of an act to amend the Charter of the City of New-York, passed April 14, 1857, do certify as follows, to wit:

FOR COMPTROLLER.

That it appears on such estimate and canvass, that the whole number of votes given for the office of Comptroller of the City of New-York, was sixty-three thousand nine hundred and fifty-four:

Of which Robert T. Haws received thirty-three thousand four hundred and sixty-nine.

Of which George H. Purser received eighteen thousand three hundred and eighty-three.

Of which Stephen P. Russell received eleven thousand nine hundred and ninety-three.

Of which John Leveridge received two.

And that there were one hundred and seven scattering votes.

GOVERNORS OF THE ALMSHOUSE.

That it appears on such estimate and canvass, that the whole number of votes given for Governor of the Almshouse, was sixty-two thousand seven hundred and ten:

Of which Charles Breuninghausen received seventeen thousand eight hundred and forty-six.

Of which Isaac Townsend received sixteen thousand four hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which James Lynch received fifteen thousand six hundred and twenty-eight

Of which Frederick C. Wagner received twelve thousand two hundred and ninety-five.

Of which Stephen H. Branch received two hundred and eighty-nine.

And that there were one hundred and sixty-five scattering votes.

FOR ALDERMEN.

That it appears, on such estimate and canvass, that the votes given for Aldermen in the several Aldermanic Districts having an odd numerical designation were as follows, viz.:

FIRST ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Alderman for the First Aldermanic District was two thousand nine hundred and four.

Of which Henry Smith received one thousand and ninety-one.

Of which John E. Enright received nine hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which Michael Burns received five hundred and thirty-five.

Of which William N. Brown received two hundred and ninety-two.

Of which James Ryan received eleven.

And that there were eighteen scattering votes.

THIRD ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Third Aldermanic District was three thousand five hundred and one.

Of which John T. Henry received one thousand one hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which Theodore E. Ward received one thousand and eighty-seven.

Of which Jeremiah Besson received eight hundred and forty-seven.

Of which John Styles received one hundred and eighty-five.

Of which Peter Crawford received one hundred and seventy-four.

Of which Daniel Harris received nine.

And that there were thirty-two scattering votes.

FIFTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Fifth Aldermanic District, was four thousand three hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which John H. Brady received two thousand three hundred and eighty-nine.

Of which Peter Duffy received one thousand one hundred and five.

Of which James Webb received seven hundred and ninety-three.

Of which Benjamin Terwilliger received eleven.

And that there were thirty scattering votes.

SEVENTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Seventh Aldermanic District, was four thousand five hundred and thirty-five.

Of which George Starr received two thousand one hundred and fifteen.

Of which Solomon Banta received eight hundred and seventy-three.

Of which Richard Fosdick received six hundred and eighty-four.

Of which Alexander M. C. Smith received eight hundred and twenty.

Of which G. Starr received one.

And that there were forty-two scattering votes.

NINTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Ninth Aldermanic District was four thousand one hundred and six.

Of which Robert L. Darragh received one thousand three hundred and nine.

Of which Adam Lilburn received eight hundred and forty four.

Of which James M. Ranney received one thousand one hundred and ninety-five.

Of which Andrew Leary received seven hundred and seventeen.

Of which W. G. Benson received twelve,

Of which Thomas Kenzie received seventeen.

And that there were twelve scattering votes.

ELEVENTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Eleventh Aldermanic District, was five thousand one hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which William J. Peck received one thousand six hundred and thirty.

Of which E. Harrison Reed received one thousand four hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which James Connolly received one thousand one hundred and fifty-one.

Of which William Hall received nine hundred and fifty.

And that there were twenty-seven scattering votes.

THIRTEENTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Thirteenth Aldermanic District, was three thousand six hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which Nicholas Seagrist received one thousand seven hundred and five.

Of which Charles Willmot received one thousand four hundred and fourteen.

Of which Henry L. Bulkley received four hundred and nine.

Of which Adolphus Andreas received one hundred and twenty-three.

And that there were six scattering votes.

FIFTEENTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Fifteenth Aldermanic District, was three thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which James Owens received one thousand five hundred and five.

Of which James Mahoney received one thousand two hundred and fifteen.

Of which Wilson Haw, Jr., received seven hundred and eighty-eight.

Of which Patrick Smith received twenty-four.

Of which Charles Fitzgerald received ninety-nine.

Of which John D'Homergue received one hundred and eighty-five.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

SEVENTEENTH ALDERMANIC DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Alderman of the Seventeenth Aldermanic District, was two thousand one hundred and sixty-five.

Of which Henry W. Genet received one thousand and twenty-eight.

Of which James Davis received eight hundred and sixteen.

Of which Samuel W. Galpin received three hundred and ten.

And that there were eleven scattering votes

CONSTABLES.

That it appears on such estimate and canvass, that the whole number of votes given for the office of Constables for the various Wards of this City, was as follows:

FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables for the First Ward, was three thousand and nine.

Of which Mathew Bierne received nine hundred and thirteen,

Of which Andrew Carey received nine hundred and sixty five.

Of which Charles Daley received five hundred and nine.

Of which August Berger received four hundred and thirty-five.

Of which John White received two.

Of which James Powers received two.

And that there were twenty scattering votes.

SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables for the Second Ward, was seven hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which Calvin Case received ninety-six.

Of which Joseph Reid received two hundred and thirty-six.

Of which James Sullivan received two hundred and thirty-two.

Of which William Thompson received two hundred and seventeen.

And that there were six scattering votes.

THIRD WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Third Ward, was nine hundred and thirty-six

Of which Alexander Thompson received four hundred and sixty eight.

Of which John Hurley received two hundred and thirty-five.

Of which Louis Loutrell received two hundred and thirty-four.

And that there were twenty-five scattering votes.

FOURTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Fourth Ward, was three thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight.

Of which James White received one thousand four hundred and eighty-four.

Of which Michael Doody received six hundred and sixty-three.

Of which James Powers received six hundred and forty-six.

Of which James Donovan received four hundred and sixty-five.

Of which Theodore Van Reisen received two hundred and nine.

Of which John Kelly received one hundred and ninety.

Of which Andrew Carey received twenty-two.

Of which Matthew Bierin received fourteen.

Of which Charles Daley received five.

Of which August Beyer received two.

Of which William Blackly received one.

And that there were sixty-seven scattering votes.

FIFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Fifth Ward, was three thousand five hundred and ninety-seven.

Of which Charles F. Watts received one thousand and ninety.

Of which Henry S. Rottger received one thousand and fifty-three

Of which Henry West received seven hundred and forty-five.

Of which Daniel O'Brien received six hundred and ninety.

Of which Dennis Wade received four.

Of which Abraham Moses received one.

Of which William B. Jones received one.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

SIXTH WARD.

The whole number of votes cast for the office of Constables of the Sixth Ward, was three thousand five hundred and fifty-five.

Of which Daniel Duffy received nine hundred and sixty-one.

Of which James Loftus received seven hundred and seventy-seven.

Of which Patrick Boyle received six hundred and thirty-five.

Of which Marcus Herbelt received four hundred and ninety-nine.

Of which William McGrath received four hundred and eighty-one.

Of which John H. Darrow received two hundred and one.

And that there was one scattering vote.

SEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Seventh Ward, was six thousand two hundred and eighty-one.

Of which John Collins received one thousand six hundred and sixty-one.

Of which Robert Stanwood received one thousand six hundred and fifty-six.

Of which John M. Waite received one thousand four hundred and fifty-three.

Of which George W. Evans received one thousand four hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Samuel Jones received forty-six.

Of which Christopher Klenck received five.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

EIGHTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Eighth Ward, was five thousand seven hundred and forty-nine.

Of which Abraham Moses received one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

Of which William B. Jones received one thousand eight hundred and six.

Of which Isaac Blauvelt received one thousand and fourteen.

Of which Robert Reid received one thousand and three.

And that there were seventy-five scattering votes.

NINTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Ninth Ward, was nine thousand eight hundred and one.

Of which Ira C. Pierson received one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Of which Conrad Reuss received one thousand seven hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which John W. Groesbeck received one thousand four hundred and sixty-four.

Of which Abraham Springstein received one thousand five hundred and forty-five.

Of which William Cargill received eight hundred and forty-four.

Of which John G. Blauvelt received seven hundred and ninety-one.

Of which James A. De Clark received seven hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which Mathias Fullam received seven hundred and forty-one.

And that there were seventeen scattering votes.

TENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Tenth Ward, was four thousand six hundred and sixteen.

Of which Reuben C. Mills received one thousand two hundred and fifty.

Of which Robert S. Beaver received one thousand one hundred and eighty-three.

Of which John W. Brady received nine hundred and forty-five.

Of which Charles V. Lyons received eight hundred and eighteen.

Of which Louis L. Vultee received three hundred and fifty-three.

And that there were sixty-seven scattering votes.

ELEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Eleventh Ward, was six thousand four hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which Lloyd Bryant received two thousand one hundred and fifty-four.

Of which Lorenzo Oberle received one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one.

Of which Michael Kerberger received one thousand two hundred and ninety-nine.

Of which Conrad Muller received one thousand and fifty six.

And that there were thirty-nine scattering votes.

TWELFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Twelfth Ward, was four thousand two hundred and seventy-four.

Of which John U. Gent received nine hundred and eighty-eight.

Of which John Helmes received one thousand two hundred and forty-eight.

Of which John R. Farrington received nine hundred and fifteen.

Of which Alfred Liscomb received eight hundred and fifty-nine.

Of which William A. Walker received two hundred and fifty-one.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Thirteenth Ward was five thousand and twenty.

Of which David Saffen received one thousand three hundred and fifty-five.

Of which John Tilley received one thousand one hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Morris L. Bingswanger received one thousand one hundred and fifty-four.

Of which John T. Pilgrim received one thousand and ninety-six.

Of which John W. Somerindyke received two hundred and fourteen.

And that there were nine scattering votes.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Fourteenth Ward was four thousand and thirty-eight.

Of which Thomas McGuire received one thousand seven hundred and eleven.

Of which Isaac Jones received one thousand two hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Richard Carpenter received seven hundred and sixty four.

Of which James Cook received two hundred and ninety-three.

And that there were twenty-three scattering votes.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Fifteenth Ward was five thousand and ninety-three.

Of which John Hiller received one thousand three hundred and four.

Of which William Hepburn received one thousand two hundred and forty-two.

Of which Archibald Wilson received seven hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which Cornelius Van Cott received six hundred and forty-four.

Of which Patrick Murphy received six hundred.

Of which John J. Thompson received five hundred and forty-two.

Of which T. Van Cott received four,

And that there were twenty-eight scattering votes.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Sixteenth Ward was seven thousand nine hundred and six.

Of which Benjamin Carr received two thousand three hundred and forty-two.

Of which Thomas McTaggart received two thousand three hundred and sixty six.

Of which John Brady received one thousand six hundred and eighty-two.

Of which James McGowan received one thousand five hundred and forty.

And that there were six scattering votes.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables for the Seventeenth Ward was eight thousand nine hundred and sixty.

Of which Hugh Monahan received two thousand one hundred and eighteen.

Of which George A. Robbins received two thousand and ninety-nine.

Of which Eli Taylor received two thousand and fifty-eight.

Of which Lewis Pieffer received one thousand eight hundred and eighty-two.

Of which Henry Rommell received six hundred.

Of which Patrick McGraw received one hundred and twenty-five.

Of which R. C. Tilfer received three.

And that there were seventy-five scattering votes.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Eighteenth Ward was six thousand nine hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Henry Bishop received one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.

Of which William E. Jones received one thousand four hundred and thirty-four.

Of which William Kiernan received one thousand one hundred and sixty three.

Of which John R. Finley received one thousand and fifty-eight.

Of which James Levy received four hundred and thirty-four.

Of which Charles Shove received four hundred and seventy-eight.

Of which Augustus Sibberns received three hundred and seventy-seven.

Of which Patrick O'Toole received one hundred and forty-six.

Of which Gustavus Sibberns received seventeen.

And that there were four scattering votes.

NINETEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Nineteenth Ward was four thousand two hundred and twenty.

Of which Hermann Rocke received eight hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which Nathaniel J. Groves received eight hundred and forty-one.

Of which John McGlynn received seven hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which James Crowley received seven hundred and seventeen.

Of which Patrick Flynn received five hundred and seventy-seven.

Of which John Flynn received four hundred and sixty.

And that there were thirty scattering votes.

TWENTIETH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Twentieth Ward, was ten thousand three hundred and thirty-one.

Of which Matthew McConnell received one thousand five hundred and eighty.

Of which George Butcher received one thousand four hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Philip Schmidt received one thousand three hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which W. J. Wilson received one thousand four hundred and twenty-one.

Of which Simeon Raymond received one thousand one hundred and ninety-one.

Of which Bernard Mullin received one thousand one hundred and twenty-two.

Of which S. D. Newton received eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Of which Andrew Mooney received one thousand and sixty-four.

Of which James Britt received one hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which James Woods received seventy-two.

Of which William Johnson received ten.

And that there were thirty-four scattering votes.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Twenty-first Ward, was seven thousand five hundred and thirty-two.

Of which William B. Miner received two thousand two hundred and fifteen.

Of which Augustus Johnson received one thousand five hundred and forty-one

Of which Thomas Bradburn received one thousand five hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Matthew Nugent received one thousand five hundred and seventeen.

Of which James W. Hopper received seven hundred and twenty-four.

And that there were eight scattering votes.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Constables of the Twenty-Second Ward, was six thousand nine hundred and eighty-two.

Of which Thomas Cushing received one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five.

Of which John F. Seigman received one thousand six hundred and sixty-five.

Of which John Miller received one thousand six hundred and nine.

Of which Andrew Black received one thousand four hundred and twenty-six.

Of which Francis Frank received three hundred and thirty four

Of which Michael Sheehy received ninety-one.

COUNCILMEN.

That it appears in such Estimate and Canvass that the votes given for Councilmen in the several Senatorial Districts were as follows, to wit:

FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Councilmen in the Fourth Senatorial District, was ninety-seven thousand five hundred and fifty two.

Of which Alexander McGarren received four thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine.

Of which Morgan Jones received six thousand and sixty-three.

Of which Anthony J. McCarthy received nine thousand one hundred and ten.

Of which George P. Bickford received six thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which John A. Tipper received five thousand four hundred and sixty-eight.

Of which William H. Bulteel received five thousand four hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Harris Bogart received four thousand four hundred and fifty-six.

Of which William O. Shea received three thousand six hundred and two.

Of which William Walsh received five thousand two hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which Francis C. Gilmore received eight thousand seven hundred and fifty-three.

Of which Cornelius Mullane received four thousand seven hundred and fifty-five.

Of which John Edwards received four thousand and thirty.

Of which James De Estarre received three thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven.

Of which John W. Forbes received five thousand three hundred and five.

Of which Stephen J. Chatterton received four thousand five hundred and seventy-two.

Of which Eleazer Jackson received one thousand and thirty-one.

Of which Phineas Smith received one thousand one hundred.

Of which James Jones received five thousand two hundred and thirty-two.

Of which John B. Vanderzee received one thousand seven hundred and sixty-nine.

Of which Patrick Burns received four hundred and sixty-four.

Of which Henry Schmale received six hundred and twenty.

Of which John McGuire received one thousand one hundred and forty-seven.

Of which John Haley received one thousand six hundred and sixty-one.

Of which Charles E. Benedict received one thousand four hundred.

Of which John Jones received twenty-four.

Of which James W. Forbes received eight.

Of which James H. Vanderzee received eight.

Of which Henry Skimmel received three.

Of which Patrick Duffy received seventy nine.

Of which Nicholas Farroll received forty-eight.

Of which Thomas Farroll received three.

Of which John Dwyer received twenty.

Of which Charles A. Stetson, Jr., received ——.

Of which John Eastern received eight.

And that there were two hundred and fifty-three scattering votes.

FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Councilmen in the Fifth Senatorial District was seventy-six thousand five hundred and sixty-four.

Of which Charles G. Cornell received six thousand eight hundred and sixty seven.

Of which Michael Smith received four thousand four hundred and forty-one.

Of which Benjamin T. Rhodes received six thousand two hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which Edward Costello received five thousand four hundred and ninety-one.

Of which John M. Cornell received five thousand nine hundred and sixty-six.

Of which John Van Tine received six thousand and thirty-six.

Of which John Frazer received four.

Of which Michael Dalton received two thousand and eighty-four.

Of which Andrew Craft received five thousand seven hundred and fifty-one.

Of which Thomas G. Hall received six thousand and thirty-one.

Of which John F. Egbert received five thousand seven hundred and seven.

Of which William E. Duryea received five thousand three hundred and eighty-five.

Of which Oliver S. Powell received four thousand nine hundred and eighty six.

Of which Samuel Weeks received five thousand five hundred.

Of which Joseph B. Nones received three hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Gottlieb Bollett received eight hundred and nine.

Of which Frederick Michel received one thousand four hundred and ninety-one.

Of which Daniel Fackiener received four hundred and seventy-six.

Of which Frederick Repper received six hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which Peter Lutz received five hundred and eighty-six.

Of which Alfred Starr received two hundred and sixty-three.

Of which James Reilly received three hundred and eighty-three.

Of which William Harrington received one.

Of which Charles Perly received one.

Of which Cyrus Ramsey received one.

Of which Christian Nunenkamp received five hundred and ninety-eight.

Of which Theodore Udell received eleven.

Of which Andrew J Odell received three.

Of which E. Reed received two.

Of which S. W. Andrews received two.

Of which George H. Raymond received four.

Of which William T. Cunningham received one.

And that there were four hundred and thirty-two scattering votes.

SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

That the whole number of votes given for Councilmen in the Sixth Senatorial District, was ninety-seven thousand one hundred and seventy-one.

Of which Isaac Williams received three thousand six hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which Laurence M. Van Wart received four thousand and eight.

Of which Thomas Edmonds received five thousand nine hundred and seventy three.

Of which Charles O. Richardson received five thousand two hundred and seventy-four.

Of which Gilbert M. Platt received six thousand eight hundred.

Of which Robert M. Lowber received five thousand one hundred and ninety-eight.

Of which Thomas Edmonds, Jr., received two thousand two hundred and fifty five.

Of which Francis McCausland received one thousand eight hundred and ninety.

Of which Franklin J. Ottarson received six thousand and twenty-seven.

Of which George Ross received five thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine.

Of which James Ingram received five thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

Of which Alexander H. Keech received three thousand six hundred and ninety-four.

Of which James B. Demarest received three thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Of which John D. King received two thousand five hundred and thirty.

Of which Daniel Darrow received seven thousand seven hundred and sixty-six.

Of which George W. Smith received one thousand eigh hundred and twenty-five.

Of which William Laimbeer, Jr., received five thousand eight hundred and sixty-nine.

Of which Patrick J. Gilligan received ninety-six.

Of which Robert Lateur received thirty-nine.

Of which Abraham Lent received seven thousand nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which R. R. Carpenter received thirty-one.

Of which Augustus Murtough received forty-one.

Of which Charles McNeill received thirty-seven.

Of which John L. Slingerland received forty-three.

Of which Franklin Marsh received one thousand one hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Lemuel W. Van Wart received four hundred and fifty-one.

Of which James Galway received one hundred and eighty four.

Of which Charles Spear received one hundred and seven.

Of which George M. Smith received one hundred and thirty-three.

Of which Frank Causeland received one hundred and sixty-five.

Of which Mathias Brakely received forty-two.

Of which John F. Kirby received two.

And that there were one hundred and ninety-five scattering votes.

SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

The whole number of votes given for Councilmen in the Seventh Senatorial District was ninety-eight thousand six hundred and two.

Of which David Armstrong received five thousand seven hundred and two.

Of which John Eagan received four thousand seven hundred and eighteen.

Of which Alexander Frear received six thousand one hundred and twenty eight.

Of which Cornelius L. Purdy received four thousand nine hundred and seventy-two.

Of which William Nolan received four thousand seven hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Terrence McGuire received three thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which Henry Arcularius received four thousand five hundred and six.

Of which Valentine Cook received four thousand three hundred and eight.

Of which Edward A. Moore received four thousand and ninety-one.

Of which Edward Timpson received four thousand and fifty-nine.

Of which Thomas Higgins received four thousand three hundred and ninety.

Of which Charles N. Decker received seven thousand five hundred and thirty-one.

Of which Hamlin Babcock received six thousand six hundred and sixty-nine.

Of which Daniel Townsend received seven thousand and ten.

Of which James G. McAdam received six thousand one hundred and nine.

Of which William H. Valentine received six thousand six hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which Ira A. Allen received seven thousand six hundred and thirty-six.

Of which John McGrave received four thousand four hundred and fifty-three.

Of which William H. Johnson received six hundred and one.

Of which George H. Page received sixty.

Of which William Q. Clark received forty-four.

Of which James H. Anderson received nineteen.

Of which Isaiah Keyser received seven.

And that there were one hundred and thirty-six scattering votes.

COMMISSIONERS OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the First Ward, was one thousand five hundred and eighty-five.

Of which Charles McCay received six hundred and seventy one.

Of which Samuel Auld received four hundred and forty-five.

Of which Edward Burke received two hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which J. Philip Phoenix received two hundred and twenty-three.

And that there were nine scattering votes.

SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Second Ward, was four hundred and twenty-one.

Of which Edward D. Pepper received one hundred and twenty-one.

Of which James W. Watson received two hundred and twenty-six.

Of which James Dickie received one.

And that there were five scattering votes.

THIRD WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Third Ward, was four hundred and seventy-two.

Of which Robert Gould received two hundred and sixty-one.

Of which John M. Mimnie received two hundred and three.

And there were eight scattering votes.

FOURTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Fourth Ward, was one thousand nine hundred and forty.

Of which Charles J. Dougherty received nine hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which Eugene Shine received seven hundred and five.

Of which Gustave Ramsperger received three hundred and five.

And there was one scattering vote.

FIFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Common Schools of the Fifth Ward, was two thousand one hundred and ninety-four.

Of which Wm. B. Eager, Jr., received one thousand three hundred and thirty-eight.

Of which John Hewitt, Jr., received eight hundred and forty-seven.

And there were nine scattering votes.

SIXTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Sixth Ward, was one thousand seven hundred and thirty-five.

Of which Michael Begg received one thousand seven hundred and thirty-four.

And that there was one scattering vote.

SEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Seventh Ward, was three thousand three hundred and twenty-four.

Of which Wm. D. Andrews received one thousand six hundred and fifty-six.

Of which William M. Tweed received one thousand and twenty.

Of which Cornelius Collins received six hundred and twenty-one.

Of which Zophar Mills received eighteen.

And that there were nine scattering votes.

EIGHTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Eighth Ward, was two thousand nine hundred and thirty-five.

Of which William Tucker received one thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which Robert H. Ellis received six hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which William H. Walker received five hundred and fifty-nine

And that there were eleven scattering votes.

NINTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Ninth Ward, was four thousand eight hundred and eighty two.

Of which John Perkins received one thousand five hundred and eighty.

Of which James W. Farr received one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which Levi Onderdonk received one thousand five hundred and three.

And that there were twelve scattering votes.

TENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Tenth Ward, was two thousand four hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which Samuel T. Webster received six hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Joel W. Mason received one thousand two hundred and sixty.

Of which Marcus C. Tully received five hundred and eighty-six.

Of which Jacob Raynor received six.

ELEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Common Schools of the Eleventh Ward, was three thousand seven hundred and sixteen.

Of which John H. Murdock received one thousand one hundred and sixty.

Of which James Marshall received four hundred and seventy-one.

Of which Charles Perley received nine hundred and seven.

Of which Christian Mettzger received one thousand one hundred and sixty-five.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

TWELFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Twelfth Ward, was two thousand one hundred and thirty five.

Of which Robert O. Glover received one thousand one hundred and fourteen.

Of which Edgar Ketchum received nine hundred and eighty three.

Of which Spencer Gregory received twenty-five.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioner of Common Schools of the Thirteenth Ward, was two thousand five hundred and eighty-four.

Of which Peter Mitchell received one thousand and sixty-one.

Of which Jacob Bennett received three hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which Alonzo G. Reynolds received one thousand one hundred and seventy-eight.

Of which William Gardner received one.

And that there were fifteen scattering votes.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Fourteenth Ward, was two thousand one hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Andrew H. Green received one thousand one hundred and twenty-one.

Of which Henry P. West received nine hundred and ninety-two.

And that there were fourteen scattering votes.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Fifteenth Ward, was two thousand six hundred and two.

Of which Erastus Benedict received one thousand two hundred and seven.

Of which Samuel Hotaling received seven hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which William T. Jennings received one hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which James W. McCarthy received four hundred and seventy-three.

And that there were seventeen scattering votes.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Sixteenth Ward, was four thousand and seventy eight.

Of which William R. Stafford received two thousand four hundred and seventy-six.

Of which Charles P. Johnson received one thousand five hundred and sixty.

Of which John Delmater received thirty-nine.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Seventeenth Ward was four thousand six hundred and eighty.

Of which Samuel Cantrell received two thousand three hundred and fifteen.

Of which Benjamin R. Winthrop received five hundred and sixty-eight.

Of which John B. Fogerty received one thousand seven hundred and sixty eight.

And that there were twenty-nine scattering votes.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Eighteenth Ward was three thousand nine hundred and eighty-nine.

Of which James Fairman received one thousand seven hundred and eleven.

Of which Phelix Duffy received nine hundred and forty-two.

Of which William H. Neilson received one thousand three hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which F. Daley received one.

And that there were six scattering votes.

NINETEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Nineteenth Ward was two thousand one hundred and seventy-two.

Of which Terrence Farley received one thousand and sixty-two.

Of which Michael A. Reed received five hundred and sixty-four.

Of which Severin D. Moulton received three hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Gregory Connor received one hundred and eighty-four.

And that there were ten scattering votes.

TWENTIETH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Twentieth Ward was five thousand one hundred and fifty-nine.

Of which Nelson J. Waterbury received one thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which William Monteith received one thousand and seventy-one.

Of which John V. Gridley received one thousand three hundred and forty-three.

Of which Edward Walker received nine hundred and ninety.

Of which Francis McCune received three.

Of which Francis McKinney received three.

And that there were twelve scattering votes.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools of the Twenty-first Ward was three thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

Of which William Sinclair received one thousand two hundred and sixty.

Of which F. Plowden Morrow received three hundred and four.

Of which John Davenport received one thousand six hundred and twenty-four.

Of which John H. White received six hundred and eighteen.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

The whole number of the votes given for the office of Commissioners of Common Schools in the Twenty-second Ward, was three thousand five hundred and forty two.

Of which James Marriner received one thousand seven hundred and forty-six.

Of which Wm. Henry Dougherty received one thousand seven hundred and twenty-nine.

And that there were sixty-seven scattering votes.

INSPECTORS OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the Office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the First Ward, was two thousand nine hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Henry Myerholtz received two hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which Dennis Keenan received four hundred and forty-four.

Of which James Fitzsimmons received two hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which Michael Sullivan received six hundred and fifty-nine.

To Fill Vacancy.

Of which, to fill vacancy of one year, John Dalton received four hundred and forty-two.

Of which Thomas Brennan received seven hundred and eighteen.

Of which Christopher Kaiser received two hundred and thirty-eight.

And that there were seventeen scattering votes.

SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Second Ward was four hundred and twenty-three.

Of which John H. DeForrest received two hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which John Donnelly received one hundred and fifty-two.

And that there were fourteen scattering votes.

THIRD WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Third Ward, was four hundred and sixty-two.

Of which Amos Stokey received two hundred and twenty.

Of which Van Camp Coolbaugh received one hundred and sixty.

Of which Samuel V. Tunison received seventy-five.

And that there were seven scattering votes.

FOURTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Fourth Ward, was one thousand nine hundred and forty-three.

Of which Francis Ryan received eight hundred and eighty-eight.

Of which William Cleary received seven hundred and forty-four.

Of which Benjamin F. Chase received three hundred and ten.

And there was one scattering vote.

FIFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Fifth Ward, was two thousand two hundred and one.

Of which Michael C. Murphy received six hundred and ninety-seven.

Of which Samuel F. Barger received one thousand four hundred and eighty eight.

And that there were sixteen scattering votes.

SIXTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Sixth Ward was one thousand seven hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Thomas Farrell received one thousand and eleven.

Of which Thomas Clarke received seven hundred and forty.

And that there was one scattering vote.

SEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Seventh Ward was three thousand two hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which David P. Arnold received two thousand five hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which Dr. Philip R. O'Reilly received six hundred and ninety-six.

And that there were five scattering votes.

EIGHTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Eighth Ward, was two thousand eight hundred and forty.

Of which Joseph D. Martin received one thousand six hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which Walter W. Adams received seven hundred and eight.

Of which D. G. Ferguson received four hundred and ninety-one.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

NINTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Ninth Ward, was three thousand eight hundred and ninety-three

Of which Ira Buckman, Jr., received one thousand five hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Augustus F. Dow received one thousand eight hundred and twenty-one.

Of which Frederick Rodefeldt received seven hundred and thirty-two.

Of which William J. Van Arsdale received seven hundred and fifty-eight.

And that there were thirty scattering votes.

TENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Tenth Ward, was two thousand four hundred and seventy-two.

Of which Edward A. Frazer received one thousand two hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Philip F. Smith received six hundred and seventeen.

Of which Edward R. Hollsworth received five hundred and eighty-two.

Of which Horatio Reed received seven.

And that there were nine scattering votes.

ELEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Eleventh Ward, was three thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

Of which John Stewart received one thousand two hundred and seventy-two.

Of which James H. Brennan received four hundred and eighty-six.

Of which Charles Curtis received one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which John Lander received one hundred and ninety-three.

And that there thirty-seven scattering votes.

TWELFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Twelfth Ward, was two thousand one hundred and thirty.

Of which William Hartman received one thousand one hundred and sixty-five.

Of which John Ovaheiser received nine hundred and forty-six.

And that there were nineteen scattering votes.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools for the Thirteenth Ward was two thousand five hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Lewis Witherington received one thousand three hundred and five.

Of which Thomas Brown received one thousand two hundred and eighty-two.

And that there were five scattering votes.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common School of the Fourteenth Ward was two thousand and eighty-five.

Of which Michael Corcoran received one thousand seven hundred and fifty-one.

Of which Abraham Van Duzer received three hundred and sixteen.

And that there were eighteen scattering votes.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Fifteenth Ward was two thousand six hundred and seventeen.

Of which John M. Knox received one thousand two hundred and eighty-six.

Of which A. D. Wilson received eight hundred and twenty-one.

Of which John P. Gaw received four hundred and seventy-eight.

Of which William McClelland received seventeen.

Of which Michael Walsh received two.

Of which John W. Rich received three.

And that there were ten scattering votes.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Sixteenth Ward, was four thousand and forty-three.

Of which William M. Lelland received two thousand four hundred and forty-four

Of which William H. Mackay received one thousand five hundred and ninety-two.

And that there were seven scattering votes.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Seventeenth Ward, was four thousand seven hundred and two.

Of which John C. Chamterlain received two thousand three hundred and ten.

Of which Theodore Zeler received one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which Jacob W. Moore received five hundred and thirty-eight.

And that there were twenty-six scattering votes.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Eighteenth Ward, was four thousand one hundred.

Of which Henry Quackenboss received two thousand one hundred and forty-two.

Of which James Salmon received one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

Of which William H. Neilson received three.

Of which Patrick Printy received one hundred and thirty-three.

NINETEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Nineteenth Ward, was two thousand one hundred and sixty-six.

Of which Thomas McManus received one thousand and thirty-three.

Of which John Keynton received three hundred and thirty-two.

Of which Lawrence Kerr received six hundred and eight.

Of which George Fuller received one hundred and eighty-eight.

And that there were eight scattering votes.

TWENTIETH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Twentieth Ward, was five thousand one hundred and seventy-eight.

Of which John Hoey received one thousand five hundred and sixteen.

Of which Michael Green received one thousand and sixty-six.

Of which Daniel Hogencamp received one thousand six hundred and seventy.

Of which William Ross received nine hundred and eleven.

And that there were fifteen scattering votes.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspectors of Common Schools of the Twenty-first Ward, was three thousand eight hundred and sixteen.

Of which John J. Freidman received one thousand two hundred and fifty-six.

Of which James Crawford received three hundred and seventy-eight.

Of which Edward N. Blum received one thousand six hundred and twenty-nine.

Of which Richard J. Vanderburgh received five hundred and fifty-two.

And that there were two scattering votes.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Inspector of Common Schools of the Twenty-second Ward, was three thousand five hundred and thirty-eight.

Of which Nathaniel C. Ely received one thousand six hundred and sixty.

Of which James Bernham received one thousand eight hundred and sixty.

And that there were eighteen scattering votes.

TRUSTEES OF COMMON SCHOOLS.

FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the First Ward, was three hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which James Bartlett received two hundred and forty.

Of which John McIntyre received one hundred and six.

Of which Thomas Byrne received four hundred and forty-five.

Of which John Haly received two hundred and forty-seven.

Of which James Fitzgerald received eight hundred and eighty-four.

Of which Patrick Kearney received eight hundred and forty-two.

Of which James Fitzsimons received one hundred and three.

To Fill Vacancy for Two Years.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the First Ward, to fill vacancy for two years, was two thousand three hundred and eighty-seven.

Of which William H. Caulfield received two hundred and thirty-nine.

Of which J. Clitz Morrison received two hundred and thirty-nine.

Of which Patrick Hagan received two hundred and ninety.

Of which John McIntyre received four hundred and three.

Of which John Hogan received four hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Dennis Mannion received four hundred and thirty-eight.

Of which James Word received seven hundred and fifty-one.

To Fill Vacancy for One Year.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the First Ward, to fill vacancy for one year, was three thousand and fifty-five.

Of which James G. Elliott received two hundred and thirty nine.

Of which George Thompson received two hundred and thirty-nine.

Of which Andrew Baldwin received two hundred and ninety-seven.

Of which Arthur Gillinder received two hundred and seventy-six.

Of which James Woods received one hundred and thirty-one.

Of which Michael St. George received two hundred and thirty-one.

Of which James Burns received six hundred and fifty.

Of which James Doran received six hundred and nine.

Of which Patrick McGuire received six hundred and nine.

Of which John Hogan received five.

SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools in the Second Ward was two thousand two hundred and thirty five.

Of which James Raymond received two hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which Henry Kappleman (to fill vacancy, in place of Jacob Ayres) received two hundred and fifty-six.

Of which Michael McGown received two hundred and fifty-five.

Of which R. J. Finley (to fill vacancy) received two hundred and fifty-five.

Of which Sparhawk Parsons (to fill vacancy) received two hundred and fifty-two.

Of which John Shipton received two hundred and forty-six.

Of which Joseph Manning (to fill vacancy, in place of J. C. Stonell) received two hundred and thirty-six.

Of which Joseph Shennegal (to fill vacancy) received one hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which John J. Maloney received one hundred and fifty-five.

Of which John K. Walsh received one hundred and fifty-five.

And that there were ten scattering votes.

THIRD WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Third Ward was nine hundred and eighty-one.

Of which John L. Blakely (to fill vacancy for three years) received two hundred and thirty-four.

Of which Timothy R. Hubbard (to fill vacancy for one year) received two hundred and thirty three.

Of which Henry W. Lecompte (to fill vacancy for one year) received two hundred and thirty two.

Of which John H. McCray received two hundred and thirty two,

Of which John Ottarson (to fill vacancy for one year) received two hundred and twenty-four.

Of which Joseph Wallace (to fill vacancy for three years) received two hundred and seven.

Of which Edward M. Haggerty (to fill vacancy for one year) received one hundred and forty-seven.

Of which Patrick Kerrin received one hundred and forty-six.

Of which John L. Whitton (to fill vacancy for one year) received sixty eight.

Of which Mortimer Tunison received forty-three.

Of which Mortimer C. Tunison (to fill vacancy for three years) received thirty-four.

Of which John L. Whitton received thirteen.

Of which Joseph Wallace (to fill vacancy for one year) received ten.

And that there were seven scattering votes.

FOURTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Fourth Ward was three thousand eight hundred and nine.

Of which Michael Carroll received seven hundred and eight.

Of which James Durney received six hundred and ninety-one.

Of which Edmond J. Kelly received nine hundred and twenty-six.

Of which George W. Casserly received nine hundred and twenty-five.

Of which Morris Friedsand received two hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which Henry L. Myer received two hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which Thomas Mullin received one.

To fill Vacancy.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Fourth Ward to fill vacancy, was one thousand six hundred and ninety.

Of which Christopher Kasenbrock received seven hundred and five.

Of which Thomas Mullin received nine hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which Thomas Morris Friedsand received twenty-seven.

Of which Henry L. Myer received twenty-seven.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

FIFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Fifth Ward, was four thousand three hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which William L. Herbert received seven hundred and twenty-three.

Of which John Y. Savage, Jr., received six hundred and seventy-two.

Of which John L. Roome received eight hundred and four.

Of which Charles C. Nott received one thousand four hundred and thirty-four.

Of which Benjamin R. Concklin received one thousand seven hundred and twenty-one.

And that there were three scattering votes.

SIXTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Sixth Ward, was three thousand four hundred and ninety-two.

Of which John Lenahan received one thousand and thirty-two.

Of which Francis O'Rourke received one thousand seven hundred and thirty-eight.

Of which William Carroll received seven hundred and twenty.

And that there were two scattering votes.

SEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Seventh Ward, was six thousand six hundred and ninety-one.

Of which Oliver Woodford received one thousand six hundred and fifty-four.

Of which William L. Wood received one thousand six hundred and thirty-eight.

Of which William S. Friers received one thousand and one.

Of which John Brown received nine hundred and ninety-four.

Of which Thomas Woodward received six hundred and ninety-nine.

Of which Thomas H. Farren received six hundred and ninety-nine.

And that there were six scattering votes.

EIGHTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Eighth Ward, was five thousand three hundred and ninety-four.

Of which William Westerfield received one thousand seven hundred and eleven.

Of which David A. Fowler received one thousand seven hundred and twenty-two.

Of which Abram T. Riker received one thousand five hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which Emmet M. Fay received six hundred and seventeen.

Of which John Aitkin, Jr., received three hundred and ninety-four.

Of which Benjamin F. Miller received three hundred and fifty-eight.

And that there were thirteen scattering votes.

NINTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Ninth Ward, was nine thousand six hundred and eighty-nine.

Of which Frank H. Rockwell received one thousand three hundred and sixty-eight.

Of which Charles S. Wright received one thousand nine hundred and sixteen.

Of which Charles T. Evans received one thousand five hundred and fifty-three.

Of which James H. Townsend received two thousand and forty-five.

Of which Alexander E. Shaw received seven hundred and thirty-three.

Of which Henry P. Demarest received seven hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which Jesse West received six hundred and fifty-seven

Of which Gilbert J. Bryant received six hundred and eighty-nine.

Of which J. W. Fan received one.

Of which Abel G. Huggett received five.

TENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Tenth Ward was four thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine.

Of which William M. Caffil received seven hundred and twenty.

Of which Joseph M. Bell received one thousand one hundred and ten.

Of which Andrew Kasmire received one thousand one hundred and eighty.

Of which Cornelius Corson received one thousand one hundred and fifty-two.

Of which Gustavus Leavick received six hundred and thirty-four.

And that there were forty-three scattering votes.

ELEVENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Eleventh Ward, was seven thousand four hundred and forty-eight.

Of which Samuel H. P. Meiggs received one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

Of which John N. Cornell received one thousand six hundred and twenty six.

Of which Jesse Q. Davis received one thousand eight hundred and eighty-one.

Of which Henry Whitthack received five hundred and eighty.

Of which William Wemmell received one thousand three hundred and twenty-four.

Of which George A. Campbell received two hundred and six.

And that there were five scattering votes.

TWELFTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Twelfth Ward, was four thousand two hundred and fifty-seven.

Of which John Vance received eight hundred and ninety-one.

Of which William Harris received eight hundred and eighty-six.

Of which John M. Reed received nine hundred and sixty-one.

Of which David W. Hurd received nine hundred and sixty seven.

Of which John P. Dodge received two hundred and sixty-nine.

Of which Samuel Brandman received two hundred and eighty-three.

Of which Robert Walmsley (to fill vacancy) received one thousand one hundred and sixty-one.

Of which William S. Carman (to fill vacancy) received nine hundred and seventy-one.

And that there were four scattering votes.

THIRTEENTH WARD

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Thirteenth Ward, was five thousand one hundred and fifty.

Of which John T. Belch received one thousand two hundred and seventy-five.

Of which Thomas Young received one thousand and thirty-three.

Of which Patrick Burke received two hundred and forty-two.

Of which George G. Hallock received one thousand three hundred.

Of which Robert Fair received one thousand two hundred and eighty-eight.

And that there were twelve scattering votes.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Fourteenth Ward, was four thousand one hundred and fifty-nine.

Of which Patrick Brennan received nine hundred and eighty-two.

Of which Joseph Haggerty received nine hundred and seventy-five.

Of which James Mulligan received seven hundred and fifty-eight.

Of which James Debenheim received seven hundred and eighty.

Of which Henry Sender received three hundred and nineteen.

Of which Hugh Bennett received three hundred and twenty-seven.

Of which A. Mullin received one.

And that there were seventeen scattering votes.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Fifteenth Ward was five thousand two hundred and fifty six.

Of which William M. Giles received four hundred and eighty-five.

Of which John Kinney received four hundred and seventy-nine.

Of which James D. Olliver received two thousand one hundred and seventeen.

Of which Linus W. Stevens received one thousand three hundred and one.

Of which James S. Huyler received eight hundred and twenty.

Of which Willis Blackstone received fifty-two.

To fill vacancies there were two thousand and sixty-seven votes polled.

Of which W. M. Blakeman received one thousand two hundred and forty.

Of which Ezra Smith received eight hundred and nineteen.

And that there were eight scattering votes.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trus tees of Common Schools for the Sixteenth Ward was eight thousand one hundred and forty-two.

Of which James Horner received two thousand five hundred and three.

Of which Augustus C. Boerum received two thousand five hundred and nine.

Of which Louis A. Rosenmiller received one thousand five hundred and seventy-one.

Of which Ashael R. Herrick received one thousand five hundred and forty.

Of which Charles Donohough received seventeen.

And that there were two scattering votes.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees for the Seventeenth Ward, was nine thousand four hundred and thirteen.

Of which Francis Duncan received two thousand two hundred and ninety-five.

Of which George Kenney received two thousand two hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which George A. Jeremiah received two thousand four hundred and eighty-three.

Of which Thomas Kennedy received one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Michael Hahn received five hundred and forty.

Of which William J. Robinson received nineteen.

And that there were seventeen scattering votes.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Eighteenth Ward was seven thousand five hundred and thirty four.

Of which Patrick Printy received six hundred and four.

Of which Daniel Moran received six hundred and nineteen.

Of which Cornelius R. Agnew received two thousand one hundred and thirteen.

Of which Dewitt C. Weeks received two thousand one hundred and thirty six.

Of which James Reilly received three hundred and two.

Of which Isaac A. Moran received one thousand and sixty-seven.

Of which Alexander M. Lawrence received six hundred and twenty-three.

Of which James Salmon received seventy.

To fill Vacancies.

The whole number of votes given to fill vacancies in the office of Trustees of Common Schools in the Eighteenth Ward, was three thousand eight hundred and eighty-six.

Of which Philip Schen received nine hundred and fifty-four.

Of which John A. Hayward received eight hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Daniel T. McFarland received two thousand and twenty-six.

Of which Cornelius Agnew received thirteen.

And that there was one scattering vote.

NINETEENTH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Nineteenth Ward, was four thousand and three hundred and eight.

Of which John Turner received six hundred and five.

Of which Addison Brown received five hundred and seventy two.

Of which Wm. Henry received two hundred and one.

Of which Frederick Thileman received one hundred and ninety-two.

Of which Francis Stacom received one thousand and forty-two.

Of which Michael Falihee received one thousand and twenty-four.

Of which Charles W. Hull received three hundred and thirty-two.

Of which James T. Crawford received three hundred and thirty-four.

And that there were six scattering votes.

TWENTIETH WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Twentieth Ward, was ten thousand two hundred and ninety-six.

Of which Peter Lodernick received one thousand five hundred and sixty-eight.

Of which John G. Butler received one thousand five hundred and four.

Of which Wm. B. Walsh received one thousand and sixty-seven.

Of which Alexander McMullen received one thousand and eighty-two.

Of which Alfred Lancaster received one thousand five hundred and thirty-seven.

Of which John H. Morris received two thousand five hundred and thirteen.

Of which Daniel H. Smith received nine hundred and thirteen.

Of which Robert Lundy received eighty-one.

And that there were twenty-one scattering votes.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Twenty-first Ward, was seven thousand five hundred and fifty-nine.

Of which George W. B. Tompkins received one thousand two hundred and seventy-two.

Of which Robert Ninus received one thousand five hundred and twenty-five.

Of which William De Lacy received three hundred and thirteen.

Of which Thompson W. Decker received one thousand six hundred and thirty.

Of which Bartholomew B. Chappel received one thousand six hundred and twenty-eight.

Of which Gilden L. Walker received five hundred and sixty.

Of which James H. Montross received six hundred and twenty nine.

And that there were two scattering votes.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

The whole number of votes given for the office of Trustees of Common Schools for the Twenty-second Ward was seven thousand and forty-six.

Of which Alexander Perry received one thousand six hundred and eighty-two.

Of which Isaac C. Hunt received one thousand six hundred and sixty-seven.

Of which Terrence Reilly received one thousand eight hundred and eight.

Of which Benjamin P. Fairchild received one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine.

To Fill a Vacancy.

The whole number of votes was one thousand six hundred and seventy-seven.

Of which William Holmes received one thousand six hundred and sixty-two.

And that there were fifteen scattering votes.

THE BOARD OF CITY CANVASSERS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW-YORK, having canvassed and estimated the votes given in the several districts of said City and County, at the election held December 7, 1858, do hereby certify, determine and declare:

COMPTROLLER.

That Robert T. Haws, by the greatest number of votes was duly elected Comptroller of the City of New-York.

GOVERNORS OF THE ALMSHOUSE.

That Charles Breuninghausen, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Governor of the Almshouse.

That Isaac Townsend received the next highest number of votes, and was thereby elected Governor of the Almshouse.

ALDERMEN.

That Henry Smith, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the First Aldermanic District.

That John T. Henry, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Third Aldermanic District.

That John H. Brady, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Fifth Aldermanic District.

That George Star, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Seventh Aldermanic District.

That Robert L. Darragh, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Ninth Aldermanic District.

That William J. Peck, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Eleventh Aldermanic District.

That Nicholas Seagrist, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Thirteenth Aldermanic District.

That James Owens, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Fifteenth Aldermanic District.

That Henry W. Genet, by the greatest number of votes, was duly elected Alderman of the Seventeenth Aldermanic District.

COUNCILMEN.

That the following named persons were by the greatest number of votes duly elected to the office of Councilman, in each of the Senatorial Districts of the City, viz.:

FOURTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Anthony J. McCarthy,
Francis C. Gilmore,
George P. Bickford,
Morgan Jones,
John A. Tipper, and
William H. Bulteel.

FIFTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Charles G. Cornell,
Benjamin T. Rhodes,
John Van Tine,
Thomas G. Hall,
John McConnell, and
Andrew Craft.

SIXTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Abraham Lent,
Franklin J. Ottarson,
Daniel Darrow,
William Lambier, Jr.,
Gilbert M. Platt, and
George Ross.

SEVENTH SENATORIAL DISTRICT.

Ira A. Allen,
Charles N. Decker,
Daniel Townsend,
Hamlin Babcock,
William H. Valentine, and
Alexander Frear.

CONSTABLES.

That the following-named persons were, by the greatest number of votes, duly elected as Constables for the various Wards of this City, as follows, viz:

1st Ward—Mathew Bierne........Andrew Carey.
2d .. Joseph Reid........James Sullivan.
3d .. Alexander Thompson........John Hurley.
4th .. James White........Michael Doody.
5th .. Charles F. Watts........Henry S. Rottger.
6th .. Daniel Duffy........James Loftus.
7th .. John Collins........Robert Stanwood.
8th .. Abraham Moses........William B. Jones.
9th .. Ira C. Pierson........Conrad Ruess.
10th .. Reuben C. Mills........Robert S. Beaver.
11th .. Lloyd Bryant........Lorenz Oberle.
12th .. John Helmes........John U. Gent.
13th .. Daniel Saffen........John Tilly.
14th .. Thomas McGuire........Isaac Jones.
15th .. John Hillier........William Hepburn.
16th .. Thomas McTaggart........Benjamin Carr.
17th .. Hugh Monahan........George A. Robbins.
18th .. Henry Bishop........William E. Jones.
19th .. Hermann Rocke........Nathaniel J. Groves.
20th .. Mathew McConnell........George Butcher.
21st .. William B Miner........Augustus Johnson.
22d .. Thomas Cushing........John F. Selgmann.

SCHOOL OFFICERS.

That the following-named persons were, by the greatest number of votes, duly elected as School Officers in the various Wards of this City, as follows:

FIRST WARD.

Commissioner—Charles McCay.
Inspectors—Michael Sullivan.
Thomas Brennan, to fill vacancy.
Trustees—James Fitzgerald, full term.
Patrick T. Kearney, full term.
James Woods, to fill vacancy, two years.
James Burns, to fill vacancy, one year.

SECOND WARD.

Commissioner—James Watson.
Inspector—John H. De Forest.
Trustees—Michael McGowan, full term.
James Raymond, full term.
R. I. Finlay, to fill vacancy, three years.
Henry Koppleman, in place of Isaac Ayres.
Joseph Manning, in place of J. C. Stoneall.

THIRD WARD.

Commissioner—Robert S. Gould.
Inspector—Amos Stokey.
Trustees—Samuel H. McCray, full term.
John L. Blakely, to fill vacancy, three years.
Timothy B. Hibbard, to fill vacancy, one year.

FOURTH WARD.

Commissioner—Charles J. Dougherty.
Inspector—Francis Ryan.
Trustees—Edmund J. Riley, full term.
Geo. W. Casserly, full term.
Thomas Muller, to fill vacancy.

FIFTH WARD.

Commissioner—William B. Eager, Jr.
Inspector—Samuel F. Bayer.
Trustees—Charles C. Nott, full term.
John L. Roome, full term.

SIXTH WARD.

Commissioner—Michael Regg.
Inspector—Thomas Farrell.
Trustees—Francis O'Rourke, full term.
John Lenahan, full term.

SEVENTH WARD.

Commissioner—William N. Andrews.
Inspector—Daniel P. Arnold.
Trustees—Oliver Woodford, full term.
William L. Wood, full term.

EIGHTH WARD.

Commissioner—William Tucker.
Inspector—Joseph D. Martin.
Trustees—Abraham T. Riker, full term.
Wm. Westerfield, full term.

NINTH WARD.

Commissioner—James W. Farr.
Inspector—Augustus F. Dow.
Trustees—James H. Townsend, full term.
Charles S. Wright, full term.

TENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Joel W. Mason.
Inspector—Edward A. Frazer.
Trustees—Andrew Kasmire, full term.
Cornelius Corson, full term.

ELEVENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Christian Metzgar.
Inspector—Charles Curtis.
Trustees—Samuel H. P. Meiggs, full term.
Jesse J. Davis, full term.

TWELFTH WARD.

Commissioner—Robert C. Glover.
Inspector—William Hartman.
Trustees—John M. Reed, full term.
David W. Hurd, full term.
Robert Walmsby, to fill vacancy.

THIRTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Alonzo G. Reynolds.
Inspector—Louis Witherington.
Trustees—George G. Hallock, full term.
Robert Fair, full term.

FOURTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Andrew H. Green.
Inspector—Michael Corcoran.
Trustees—Patrick Brennan, full term.
Joseph Haggerty, full term.

FIFTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Erastus Benedict.
Inspector—John M. Knox.
Trustees—James D. Oliver. Full term.
Linus W. Stevens. Full term.

SIXTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—William R. Stafford.
Inspector—William M. Lelland.
Trustees—Augustus C. Boerum. Full term.
James Horner. Full term.

SEVENTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Samuel Cantnell.
Inspector—John C. Chamberlain.
Trustees—George A. Jeremiah. Full term.
Francis Duncan. Full term.

EIGHTEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—James Fairman.
Inspector—Henry Quackenboss.
Trustees—Dewitt C. Weeks. Full term.
Cornelius R. Agnew. Full term.
Daniel T. McFarlan. To fill vacancy.

NINETEENTH WARD.

Commissioner—Terence Farley.
Inspector—Thomas McManus.
Trustees—Francis Stacom.
Michael Faliher.

TWENTIETH WARD.

Commissioner—Nelson J. Waterbury.
Inspector—Daniel Hogencamp.
Trustees—John H. Morris.
Peter Lodenick.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD.

Commissioner—John Davenport.
Inspector—Edward N. Bloom.
Trustees—Bartholomew B. Chappell.
Thompson W. Decker.

TWENTY-SECOND WARD.

Commissioner—James Mariner.
Inspector—James Burnham.
Trustees—Benjamin P. Fairchild (full term.)
Terence Riley.
William Holmes (to fill vacancy.)

We certify this statement to be correct, and have caused the same to be attested by the signatures of the Chairman and Secretary of this Board, this twentieth day of December, 1858. F. I. A. BOOLE, Chairman.
D. T. VALENTINE, Clerk.
NEW-YORK, Dec. 21, 1858.

FINANCIAL.

49TH DIVIDEND.

BROOKLYN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Board of Directors have declared a semi-annual dividend of ten (10) per cent on the capital stock, out of the profits of the last six months, payable at their office, No. 16 Merchants' Exchange, New-York, on and after the 1st day of January, 1859.

Transfer books will be closed until the above date.

Also, *Resolved*, That application be made to the Legislature for permission to increase the capital of the Company the sum of fifty-one ($51,000) thousand dollars.

By order,
WM. F. LEGGETT,
DEC. 16, 1858. Secretary.

LANSING, BALDWIN & CO.,
AMERICAN BANKERS,
No. 8 Place de la Bourse, Paris,
Successors to LIVINGSTON, WELLS & Co.,
issue letters of credit available for travelers in Europe and the East. Bills on Paris and Sterling Bills issued at New-York office.
H. S. LANSING & CO., No. 98 Broadway.

FIRST-CLASS BUSINESS PAPER
WANTED, AT LOW RATES,
By JOHN B. MURRAY & CO., No. 40 Wall-st.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON, AND QUINCY RAILROAD COMPANY.—CHICAGO, Dec. 18, 1858.—Coupons for interest maturing Jan. 1, 1859, on first mortgage bonds of Central Military Tract Railroad Company, Chicago and Aurora Railroad Company, and Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company, will be paid at maturity by the Bank of Commerce, New-York.

By a provision in the mortgage of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad Company, the holders of the bonds issued by the Central Military Tract and Chicago and Aurora Companies may deliver them up to this Company, and receive in exchange therefor the eight per cent. sinking fund bonds issued under said mortgage. Exchanges of bonds may be effected with Edward L. Baker, one of the Trustees, in Boston, Mass.
AMOS T. HALL, Treasurer,
Chicago, Burlington, and Quincy Railroad Co.

OFFICE MANHATTAN OIL COMPANY,
No. 16 Broadway,
New-York, December 17, 1858.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS COMPANY have declared a semi-annual dividend of Three per Cent. out of the profits of this Company, payable on and after the 1st of January next, on the Consolidated Stock, (of $300,000,) at the office of the Company.

The transfer books will be closed on the 22d inst., except for the purpose of exchange of any outstanding old certificates for new certificates, under the new basis of Capital.
JAMES M. MOTLEY, Secretary and Treasurer.

Nov. 26, 1858.
WE HAVE THE GREATEST SATISFACTION in announcing that on Tuesday, the 30th inst., and for fourteen days thereafter, we shall be prepared to pay our last two installments, due respectively on 31st December, 1859, and 3d June, 1860.
J. & A. DENNISTOUN, Glasgow.
DENNISTOUN CROSS & CO., London.
A. DENNISTOUN & CO., Liverpool.

Referring to the above announcement, we beg to state that we continue our business of buying and selling Sterling Exchange, and granting Commercial and Travelers' credits. DENNISTOUN, WOOD & CO.,
No. 33 Wall-st.

CHICAGO, BURLINGTON, AND QUINCY RAILROAD COMPANY'S BONDS.—Agreeably to the provisions of the trust mortgage securing said bonds, proposals will be received by the undersigned, at Boston, until noon of Saturday, Jan. 22 next, for the sale and delivery to me, within five days thereafter, of twenty-nine (29, or any portion thereof) of the one thousand dollar bonds of said Company, payable Jan. 1, 1883, for the sinking fund.
CHICAGO, BURLINGTON, AND QUINCY
RAILROAD COMPANY,
By EDWARD L. BAKER, Finance Committee.
BOSTON, Dec. 18, 1858.

OFFICE OF CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI RAILROAD COMPANY.—CLEVELAND, Ohio, Dec. 20, 1858.—The annual meeting of the Stockholders of this Company for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of other important business, will be held at the office of the Company, in Cleveland, Ohio, on WEDNESDAY, Jan. 12, 1859. The transfer books in the cities of New-York and Cleveland, will be closed from Jan. 2 to Jan. 12, inclusive.
GEO. H. RUSSELL, Secretary.

$65.000.—SIXTY-FIVE THOUSAND dollars to loan for five months, at four per cent. per annum, on first-class securities, in sums of not less than $10,000—would prefer to loan the whole amount in one sum. To save trouble, none but responsible persons need apply. A note addressed to me, at No. 102 West 22d-st., or left with Wm. F. Leggett, Secretary of Brooklyn Fire Insurance Company, No. 16 Merchants' Exchange, cor. Hanover and Wall sts., will receive prompt attention. CHARLES H. DELAVAN.

BILLS AND NOTES PAYABLE IN CANADA—where the Bank of British North America has Branches or Agencies, collected free of charge, when exchange thereon is provided for.

Drafts granted and bills purchased and collected on England, Scotland and Ireland, Australia and the British Provinces in North America.
R. C. FERGUSSON, No. 29
F. H. GRAIN, William-st.,
C. F. SMITH, New-York.

UNITED STATES AND CANADA.—THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, as Agents for Messrs. DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO., Bankers, New-York, hereby give notice that they will receive money on account of that firm, for which they will issue, free of charge, LETTERS OF CREDIT or CIRCULAR NOTES of £10 and upwards, similar to those in such extensive use on the Continent of Europe and elsewhere, payable at all the principal cities and towns in the United States, Canada, &c.

SAVINGS BANK—CORNER TWENTY-FIFTH-STREET AND THIRD-AVENUE.—The Bloomingdale Savings Bank, open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings from 6 to 8. Interest at the rate of 6 per cent. allowed on all sums of $1,000 and under. All deposits made before the 10th of January will draw interest from the 1st.
SPENCER K. GREEN, President,
JNO. WAITE, Secretary. J. N. LUCKEY, Actuary.

MARINERS' SAVINGS BANK, NO. 1 3d-av., corner of 7th-st.—Deposits made on or before the 31st of December will bear interest from 1st January, at the rate of 6 per cent. on sums of $500 and under, and 5 per cent. on larger amounts. Bank open daily from 9 A. M. to 2 P. M.; on Wednesday and Saturday evenings from 5 to 8 o'clock. THOS. B. STILLMAN, Pres.
P. W. ENGS, Vice-Pres. ISAAC C. SMITH, Secretary.
CHAS. MILES,

BROADWAY BANK, NEW-YORK, Dec. 18, 1858.
EIGHTEENTH DIVIDEND.—A SEMI ANNUAL dividend of five (5) per cent. on the Capital Stock of this Bank, out of the profits of the current six months, will be paid on and after Monday, Jan. 3, ensuing.

The transfer books will be closed from the 24th inst. until the day of payment. By order of the Board.
J. L. EVERITT, Cashier.

TREASURER'S NOTICE.—CLEVELAND, COLUMBUS AND CINCINNATI RAILROAD COMPANY.—CLEVELAND, Dec. 15, 1858.—The Bonds of Franklin County, Ohio, issued to this Company, and falling due on the 1st of January next, amounting to fifty thousand dollars, will be paid, with the remaining interest, warrant attached, at the Ocean Bank, New-York, on and after the 31st instant. T. P. HANDY, Treasurer.

FINANCIAL.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.
OFFICE
GREAT WESTERN
MARINE
INSURANCE COMPANY,
Great Western Buildings, Nos. 31 and 33 Pine-st., New-York.

The usual semi annual interest dividend of 3½ ℔ cent. on the $1,000,000 Cash Capital Stock of this Company, will be paid at this office, on and after Jan. 3. Transfer Books will be closed from on and after Dec. 27 until Jan. 3. DOUGLAS ROBINSON, Secretary.

DUNCAN, SHERMAN & CO.,
BANKERS,
CORNER PINE AND NASSAU STS., NEW-YORK.
ISSUE
CIRCULAR NOTES AND LETTERS OF CREDIT,
for travelers, available in all the principal cities of the world.

JOHN B. MURRAY & CO.,
BANKERS,
No. 40 Wall-st., New-York.
Collect Notes and Drafts throughout the United States and British Provinces. Business paper negotiated, and loans made upon all marketable securities.

OFFICE OF THE GREAT WESTERN INSURANCE COMPANY—NEW YORK, Dec. 20, 1858.—The books of this Company will close on the 31st instant, preparatory to its annual statement. Parties holding policies are requested to furnish an account of all risks attaching thereon up to that date. Also, claims for return of premiums, to avoid any discrepancy in the accounts. DOUGLAS ROBINSON, Secretary.

PAUL S. BROWN'S BAKING ESTABLISHMENT, No. 27 3d-av., corner 9th-st., opposite the Bible House, invites the ladies of New-York to call and examine his beautiful assortment of cakes and pyramids for the holidays; family cakes baked, iced, and ornamented to order—and supplied daily with pure and wholesome bread and rolls—please leave your orders early; punctually attended to.

BANK OF NEW-YORK.—THE BOARD OF Directors of the Bank of New-York have this day declared a dividend of three and one half (3½) per cent. on the capital stock of the Bank, for the current six months, payable on and after the 3d of January next.

The Transfer Books will be closed from this date until the 5th day of January, 1859. W. B. MEEKER, Cashier.

DIVIDEND.—PARK FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, No. 237 Broadway, corner Park-place.—NEW-YORK, Dec. 13, '58—The Board of Directors of this Company have declared a semi-annual dividend of ten (10) per cent. payable on and after 3d January next. The transfer books will be closed from 20th inst. to 3d January, inclusive. WM. JAFFRAY, Secretary.

NOTICE TO BONDHOLDERS.—COUPONS for interest on Bonds of Yuba County and City of Marysville, Cal. due Jan. 1 1859, will be paid on and after that date upon presentation at the American Exchange Bank, New-York.
DECKER, BRUMAGEM & CO.,
Marysville, Cal.

MICHIGAN STATE BONDS AND COUPONS.—The interest Coupons and Bonds of the State of Michigan, maturing on the 1st of January next, will be paid on presentation at the Artisans' Bank.
SILAS M. HOLMES,
Treasurer of the State of Michigan.
NEW-YORK, Dec. 23, 1858.

OFFICE OF THE NEW-YORK GAS LIGHT COMPANY—DEC. 22, 1858. The annual election of thirteen Directors of this Company will be held on MONDAY, Jan 10 next, from 11 to 12 o'clock A. M., at the office No. 174 Centre-st. The transfer-book will be closed from the 23d inst. until after the election. By order.
C. L. EVERITT, Secretary.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILROAD COMPANY,
(Eastern Division,) New-York, Dec. 1858.
THE HOLDERS OF UNPAID COUPONS and bonds of this Company are requested to hand in a written statement of their several claims at the office of the Company, No. 88 Wall-st., New-York.
JOS. W. ALSOP, President.

ROSEHILL SAVINGS BANK,
14th-st., corner of 8th-av.
ALL SUMS DEPOSITED HERE BEFORE the 12th January next will draw interest from the 1st January. WM. F. HAVEMEYER, President.
J. BRINKERHOFF, Sec.

IRVING SAVINGS INSTITUTION.—NO. 96 Warren-st., near Greenwich, open daily from 10 A. M. to 2 o'clock P. M., and 4 to 7 on Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Interest 6 per cent. on sums from $1 to $500.
M. D. VAN PELT, President.
VANDERBILT L. BUXTON, Secretary.

OFFICE OF STATE TREASURER.—ST. PAUL, Dec. 10, 1858. MINNESOTA STATE BONDS.—The interest falling due Jan. 11, 1859, on Minnesota Bonds, will be paid upon presentation of the coupons at the Atlantic Bank, New-York.
G. W. ARMSTRONG, Treasurer.

DIVIDEND.—CONTINENTAL BANK, NEW-YORK, Dec. 22, 1858.—A semi annual dividend of three and a half per cent. on the capital stock of this Bank will be paid to the stockholders on or after Monday, Jan. 3, next. The transfer books will be closed from the 27th inst. to Jan. 4, inclusive. B F. WARNER, Cashier.

OFFICE OF THE HAMILTON FIRE INSURANCE CO.—No. 11 Wall-st., New-York.—NOTICE—An election for Directors of this Company will be held on Jan. 3, proximo, at the office of the Company. Poll will open at 12 M. and close at 2 o'clock P. M.
J. C. WINANS, Secretary.

DIVIDEND.—THE AMERICAN TRADES Company have declared a quarterly dividend of 2½ per cent. on the capital stock, payable on and after the 3d January. The transfer books will be closed until that date.

INTEREST ON CALIFORNIA STATE BONDS.—The Coupons for interest on California State Bonds due Jan. 1, 1859, will be collected or purchased by WM. T. COLEMAN & CO.,
No. 88 Wall-st.

CALIFORNIA STATE BONDS.—INTEREST Coupons on California State Bonds, due Jan. 1, 1859, collected or purchased by WILLIAM HOGE & CO., No. 40 Wall-st.

P. W. GALLAUDET, NOTE BROKER, NO. 64 Wall-st., New-York.—Particular attention given to the sale of hardware, fancy and dry goods business paper. Collections made in any part of the United States.

$50.000 TO LOAN, ON IMPROVED property in this City, in sums not under $8,000. Apply to STOUT, CLEWS & MASON, Nos. 11 Nassau and 13 Pine sts., New-York.

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HARMONEPHONES
AND
MUSICAL BOXES.

Our importations of musical boxes are exclusively from the first makers at Geneva, and are manufactured expressly for ourselves.

The Harmonephone is entirely a novelty connected with musical boxes. Our stock is at all times extensive, ranging from the smallest to the largest sized boxes, and playing from 2 to 36 airs.

MANDOLINE,
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MUSICAL BOXES, with
DRUMS, CASTAGNETS AND BELLS.
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No. 10 Maiden-lane.

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ALSO FOR SALE,
MASON & HAMLIN'S SUPERIOR
MELODEONS AND HARMONIUMS,
For parlors, churches, vestries and lodges,
At wholesale and retail.
PIANOS TO RENT.

NO. 637 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK—MANufactory of the celebrated American improved piano. Dealers cannot do better than to purchase from us from now until January, as we are selling far below our usual price for cash. Those about purchasing pianos for presents cannot do better than to favor us with a call at No. 637 Broadway. SMITH, ATHERTON & CO.,
Successors to CUMMINGS & CANFIELD.

PIANOS, MELODEONS, ALEXANDRE organs, Martin's celebrated guitars, flutinas, accordeons, flutes, violins, music boxes, music elegantly bound. All kinds of music books and musical instruments for holiday presents. Monthly payments received for pianos and melodeons. Pianos and melodeons to rent on the most reasonable terms, by HORACE WATERS, Agent, No. 333 Broadway.

GOLD-MEDAL GRAND AND SQUARE PIANOS.—STEINWAY & SONS, Nos. 82 and 84 Walker-st., near Broadway, New York, have always received the first premium where and whenever in competition with the best makers of Boston, New-York, Philadelphia and Baltimore. Every Piano warranted for three years. Prices moderate.

LIGHTE, NEWTON & BRADBURYS, NO. 421 Broome-st., near Broadway, have a splendid assortment of the celebrated Piano-Fortes, in all styles, constructed with the patent Arch Wrest-Plank. Purchasers in want of a superior instrument will find it for their advantage to call.

ALBERT WEBER, MANUFACTURER, WILL sell the finest rosewood piano-fortes, warranted to give entire satisfaction, at exceedingly great bargains. Second-hand pianos taken in exchange, and full value allowed. No. 155 West Broadway, near Canal-st.

RAVEN, BACON & CO., (SUCCESSORS TO Bacon & Raven,) piano-forte manufacturers. Wareroom No. 135 Grand-st., near Broadway, where a full assortment of instruments may be found, exclusively of our own manufacture, warranted in every respect.

A RARE CHANCE TO PURCHASE AN EXCELLENT pianoforte of superior tone and finish. Second-hand pianos taken in exchange, and for sale.
JAMES VON RIPER, No. 178 Wooster-st.,
between Houston and Bleecker sts.

PIANO FOR SALE—SPLENDID 7-OCTAVE grand diagonal rosewood piano, made by one of the best makers, and fully warranted. Cost $500. In perfect order. Will be sold for $200. Inquire at No. 141 9th-st. Been used but a few months.

HALLET, DAVIS & CO.'S GRAND, PARLOR-GRAND AND SQUARE PIANOS.—Long known as the best Pianos made. Second-hand Gilbert, Chickering, and many others, at $50, $75, $100 and $200. T. S. BERRY, No. 458 Broadway, corner Grand-st.

PREMIUM PIANOS, OVER ALL COMPETITORS.—G. & H. BARMORE, No. 348 Bleecker-st., manufacturers, offer a large and varied assortment, with all modern improvements and latest designs, at greatly reduced prices, from $160 and upward, fully warranted.

HAZELTON BROS., PIANO-FORTE MANufacturers, No. 209 Centre-st., offer a fine assortment of brilliant and full-toned pianos at the lowest rates. Each piano warranted to give satisfaction, and guaranteed for three years.

PIANO FOR SALE AT A SACRIFICE.—A splendid rosewood piano, in perfect order, made by one of the best makers, cost $300, will be sold for $165. Apply at the residence 202 South 1st-st., Williamsburg.

T. H. CHAMBERS—SUPERIOR PIANOS, BIble House, Astor-place. An unlimited warrantee given with every instrument of his own manufacture. Second-hand Pianos from $60 upwards.

A LARGE STOCK OF PIANO-FORTES IN plain and carved cases, at wholesale prices, for cash. All pianos fully guaranteed for two years. Second-hand pianos at $50 to $140. A. E. THOMPSON, 409 Broadway.

AUCTION SALES.

RICHARDS KINGSLAND, AUCTIONEER.
ATTRACTIVE SALE OF ELEGANT TOYS AND FANCY GOODS, IN LOTS TO SUIT THE TRADE AND PRIVATE BUYERS.
RICHARDS KINGSLAND & CO. will sell, at auction,
THIS DAY,
THURSDAY, DEC. 23,
At 10 o'clock, at their salesroom,
No. 158 Broadway,

A large and varied assortment of fine French and German toys and fancy goods, consisting of reticules, cabas, porte-monnaies, pipes, China vases, accordeons, fancy boxes, backgammon boards, ivory and China toys of every description, wax dolls, bureaus, furniture, doll bodies ox horns, whips, jewsharps, drums, and an innumerable amount of toys of every known shape, size, style and quality, in lots to suit the Trade.

ALSO,
Per pair and piece, for HOLIDAY PRESENTS, an elegant array of toys for juveniles, and fancy goods for elders.

J. L. VANDEWATER, Auctioneer.
WILL SELL, THIS DAY, DEC. 23, AT 12 o clock, at salesroom No. 200 Broadway,
LIQUORS, WINES, AND CIGARS,
By order of the assignee; every
lot fully warranted.
Consisting of Champagne, Grape,
Heidsick, United Flag;
Brandies—J. Robin & Son;
Pinet—A. Menrie & Co.
Also,
Whiskys, Schnapps, Ports, Sherries, Madeiries, Bourbon; the whole in pints, quarts, cases and demijohns.
Also, Cigars:
Granadina, La Ferinaza,
Lolu and Washington.
Terms cash.

RICHARDS KINGSLAND, Auctioneer.
FANCY GOODS AND TOYS AT AUCTION.
RICHARDS KINGSLAND & CO. will sell on THURSDAY, Dec. 23, at 10 o'clock, at their salesroom, No. 158 Broadway,
(By order of the Assignee,)
500 lots of French and German Fancy Goods and Toys, consisting of accordeons, porte monnaies, purses, gilt watches, wax and kid dolls, checker-boards, work boxes, china toys and vases, and a large assortment of bellows and other toys, in lots to suit the trade.
Catalogues and samples early on morning of sale.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
ELEGANT FANCY GOODS.
E. & F. H. SCHENCK
Will sell, THURSDAY and FRIDAY, Dec. 23 and 24,
At 11 o'clock each day,
At their salesroom, No. 33 Nassau-st.,
One of the richest assortments of
FANCY GOODS
Ever offered in this City.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
BY E. & F. H. SCHENCK — THIS DAY, (THURSDAY,) December 23, at eleven o'clock, at their salesroom, No. 33 Nassau-st., superb fancy goods, consisting in part of elegant marble, bronze, ormolu and China clocks; superb bronze figures and groups, magnificent Parian groups and statuettes, richly decorated; French China dinner and tea sets, French China vases and card receivers, Bohemian glass-ware in great variety, superb silver-plated tea and coffee sets, waiters of all sizes, casters, cake baskets, music boxes, and a large assortment of other rich goods, making one of the finest sales of the season.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
SALE OF VALUABLE LANDS IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN.—E. & F. H. SCHENCK will sell at auction at their salesroom, No. 33 Nassau-st., on FRIDAY, the 24th inst., at 1 o'clock, between three and four thousand acres of valuable land situated in Chippewa, Door, and Oconto Counties, Wisconsin. These lands are all well timbered, and the title comes directly from the State of Wisconsin to the purchaser. This State is a favorite one with persons settling West, and the attention of that class is particularly called to this sale. The lands are all in parcels of 40 acres each. For further particulars apply to the auctioneer.

EDWARD SCHENCK, Auctioneer.
E. & F. H. SCHENCK WILL SELL AT auction at their salesrooms, No. 33 Nassau-st., on FRIDAY, Dec. 24, inst., at 1 o'clock, a splendid laminated steel double-barrel gun, in case, with all the necessary apparatus; cost the owner $100 in Paris, new; has only been shot out of when tried.

R. H. GIBSON, Auctioneer.
MORTGAGE SALE OF FASHIONABLE ROSEWOOD FURNITURE—THIS DAY, Dec. 23, at 10½ o'clock, consisting of the elegant modern furniture and costly works of art contained in the five-story first-class house No. 228 West 14th-st., near 8th-av. The sale of this furniture will be strictly peremptory, affording to purchasers an opportunity of obtaining costly furniture and superb works of art without restriction. There will be no postponement of this sale on account of weather, and a cash deposit will be exacted of all purchasers, to insure a prompt delivery of the goods, which must be removed immediately. The sale will commence in the dining-room at 10½ o'clock precisely, with elegant extension dining table, large and valuable quantity of rich China of every description, costly silver ware, dining and tea services, salvers, forks, spoons, &c.; crystal cut-glass, pearl and ivory cutlery, with every description of superb dining-room furniture. The parlors are magnificently furnished with splendid carved rosewood 7-octave piano-forte, with embossed cover and stool; elegant carved suite of rosewood parlor furniture; solid rosewood Turkish lounges, with Turkish chairs to match; two superb rosewood marble-top etageres, with mirror fronts; elegant rosewood marble top centre, sofa and pier tables; rich lace curtains and cornices, three elegant pier and mantel mirrors, costly China vases, marble statuettes, bronzes; beautiful oil-paintings, including the Madonna; with a profusion of costly and unique parlor ornaments; fine large ormolu chandeliers, hall stand, hall chairs, English oil-cloth, &c. Library and chamber furniture, in elegant carved rosewood throughout, with full marble tops; superb bureaus, bedsteads, hair mattresses and bedding; carpets, oval mirrors, clocks, French sofas, Voltaire and arm chairs, with a large variety of mahogany furniture not enumerated in this advertisement. Strangers in the City will find responsible men present to cart and ship their goods.
D. J. BARNEY, Attorney for Mortgagee.

DANIEL S. HOUGH, Auctioneer.
SPLENDID HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AT AUCTION.—DANIEL S. HOUGH, will sell, TO-MORROW, (Friday,) Dec. 24, at 10½ o'clock A. M., all the contents of the five-story and stone-front residence No. 90 10th-st., between Broadway and 5th-av. The house is sumptuously furnished throughout, and all in genteel order.

In the basement are a full suite of dining-room furniture, extension table, buffet and chairs to match; besides a great variety of kitchen utensils, China dinner and tea sets, silver ware, casters, spoons, forks, liquor chests, ivory cutlery, cut-glass and Bohemian ware. Sale positive. Deposits required of every purchaser.

In the parlors are velvet carpets, three rosewood suites, side and hall etageres, pier glasses, centre tables, easy chairs and fauteuils, bronzes, clocks, vases, fine paintings, lace curtains, couches, bookcases and library secretaries, rosewood piano, 7-octave; fine engravings.

In the chambers are superior carved rosewood bedsteads, bureaus, commodes, sofas, couches, chairs, carpets, mahogany bedsteads, &c.; 18 pure curled-hair mattresses, and fine blankets and bedding of all kinds.

Catalogues can be had at the house. Sale commences at 10½ A. M. precisely.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesroom 23 Nassau-st.
HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. WILL SELL AT auction, on THURSDAY, Dec. 23, at 10½ o'clock, at the salesroom 23 Nassau-st., G. B. Pandolfini's great sale of marble and alabaster statuary, vases, urns, &c., consisting of large marble Etruscan, Hebe, Grecian and Roman vases, suitable for decorating parlors, drawing-room niches, &c.; marble card receivers, supported by Dolphins, with serpent handles, Pompeii urns, vases for flowers, vestal temple, &c.; alabaster statuettes under glass shades, representing Madonna, Venus, Appolo, Dancing Girl, Shepherdess, &c. Also, beautiful Parisian goods—bronzes, embracing brocatelle and marble clocks, bronzes, horses, card receivers, &c. China and glassware: a beautiful invoice of China vases, richly painted, and enameled colognes.

HERTS & MOSS, Auctioneers.
ASSIGNEES' SALE.—ELEGANT DIAMOND JEWELRY, GOLD JEWELRY, GOLD WATCHES, PLATED WARE, &C.—On WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, Dec. 22 and 23, at No. 198 Broadway, between Fulton and John st; sale to commence at 11 o'clock each day. HERTS & MOSS have received instructions from the Assignees to close out as above, without reserve, the most superb assortment of diamond and gold jewelry, gold watches, solid silver and silver plated ware ever offered at auction in this City. The goods are all warranted of the finest quality and are suitable for Holiday presents. Goods on view and catalogues ready only on morning of sale.

AUGUSTUS S. HYNARD, Auctioneer.
WILL SELL, TO-MORROW, (FRIDAY,) at the private residence No. 70 West 26th st, near 6th av., consisting of parlor suites, piano-forte, stool and cover, bookcase, etageres, centre and side tables, Turkish and reception chairs, corner etageres, carpets, rugs, lace curtains, clocks, vases, &c.; bureaus, bedsteads, washstands, hair mattresses, feather beds, blankets, sheets, &c.; sofas, chairs, rockers, centre and card tables, mirrors, &c. Also, a large assortment of dining-room and kitchen furniture. Sale commences at 10½ o'clock. Deposits required of all purchasers.

J. BOGART, Auctioneer.
BY S. BOGART.—SALESROOMS, NO. 1 NORTH William-st.—S. B. will sell, by order of the assignee, on the premises, No. 18 4th-av., on TUESDAY, Dec. 28, 1858, at 10½ o'clock, 52 elegant single and double round-cornered (6¾ and 7-octave) rosewood piano-fortes. All of the said instruments are in perfect order, and of splendid tone and finish, being the balance of the stock of the celebrated manufacturers—late firm of Grow & Christopher. JAS. J. KELLEY, Assignee.

J. FISHBLATT, Auctioneer.
ATTRACTIVE AUCTION SALE.—THIS DAY.—Household furniture at the private residence No. 86 West 11th-st., between 5th and 6th avs., commencing at 10½ o'clock this day. Parlor rosewood suites, piano-forte, dining-room furniture, chamber, mattresses, feather beds, blankets, quilts, &c., kitchen furniture of every description. Sale positive, rain or shine.

ADRIAN H. MULLER, Auctioneer.
CENTRAL PARK.—SIXTH AND SEVENTH avs., 109th and 110th sts. A whole block of 64 lots will be sold on Dec. 23, inst., at 12 o'clock, at the Merchants' Exchange, by ADRIAN H MULLER, in sections of eight lots, four on each street, running through the block.

M. DOUGHTY, Auctioneer.
WILL SELL, THIS DAY, AT 10 1-2 o'clock, at salesroom, No. 79 Nassau-st., a large and varied assortment of household furniture, of every description, well worthy the attention of dealers and housekeepers. Also, one large-size rocking-horse. Also, one billiard table, with balls and cues complete.

ALBERT H. NICOLAY, Auctioneer.
BY ALBERT H. NICOLAY—OFFICE NO. 4 BROAD-STREET.—Regular auction sales of Stocks and Bonds, at the Merchants' Exchange, EVERY DAY. Stocks and Bonds bought and sold at private sale, and at the Board of Brokers. Sale THIS DAY, at 12½ o'clock. See catalogue.

FRED & COLE, Auctioneers.
MORTGAGE SALE OF JEWELRY, &c.—On FRIDAY, Dec. 24, at 11 A. M., at No. 152 Court-st., Brooklyn, a general assortment of fine watches, jewelry, clocks, &c., &c. Sale will be continued in the evening at 7 o'clock. By order. J. B. BEERS, Mortgagee.

SIMEON DRAPER, Auctioneer.
BY SIMEON DRAPER, OFFICE NO. 36 PINE-STREET.—Regular Auction Sales at the Merchants' Exchange EVERY DAY. Stocks and Bonds bought and sold at private sale. Sales THIS DAY at 12½ o'clock. See catalogue.

EXECUTOR'S SALE.—WILL BE SOLD AT public auction, on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 15, 1858, on the premises, between the hours of 12 and 5 P. M., a valuable country seat, late the property of Garret Van Doren, M. D., situated in the township of Franklin, County of Somerset, N. J., consisting of 145 acres of land, with the improvements. For a description of which, see *Times* of Dec. 1, 1858. The above sale, in consequence of stormy weather, is adjourned to WEDNESDAY, Dec. 29.
J. ADDISON VAN DOREN, Executor.

AUCTION SALES.

HENRY H. LEEDS, Auctioneer—Salesroom 23 Nassau-st.
HENRY H. LEEDS & CO. WILL SELL, AT auction, on FRIDAY, Dec. 24, at 11 o'clock, at the salesroom, No. 23 Nassau-st., ILLUSTRATED AND ELEGANT GIFT BOOKS—Among them are a set of the London Art Journal, 8vo, with splendid engravings and wood cuts; Holland and Belgium Encyclopædia of Useful Arts; Drawing room Books; Views of Various Countries; Gems of Art; Gems of Beauty; National Gallery; Hogarth People's Gallery of Pictures; Syria and the Holy Land; Pen and Pencil Sketches; Scripture Scenes; Jones' Wales, and many other splendid illustrated works. Catalogues can be examined morning of sale.

A. M. CRISTALER, Auctioneer.
SHERIFF'S SALE OF RICH AND COSTLY FURS.—A. M. CRISTALER, Auctioneer, No. 23 Bowery, will sell, THIS DAY, 23d inst., at 10½ o'clock, a large stock of Furs, comprising a general assortment of mountain and stone marten, mink, fitch, Russian and Hudson's Bay, sable capes, muffs, victorines, cuffs and collars, together with a variety of other furs too numerous to mention. By order of James B. Bensell, Deputy Sheriff.

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First Cabin........$225 | Upper Steerage........$100
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From New-York to San Francisco, including the transit of the Isthmus.

The splendid steamship
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Clipper of Saturday, Dec. 25.
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SAMUEL HUTCHINSON, Jr., Commander,
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This elegant and substantial ship is of small capacity, thoroughly ventilated, sails remarkably fast, and has all the requisites of a first-class California clipper. She is offered and recommended to shippers with confidence, insuring at the lowest rates, and always carrying and landing her cargoes in fine order. She has a large portion of her cargo already on board, and will have prompt dispatch as above.

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The favorite steamship JAS. ADGER, R. ADAMS, Commander, will leave Pier No. 4 North River, on SUNDAY MORNING, Dec. 26, at 9 o'clock precisely—thus giving passengers an opportunity of passing Christmas day in New-York.

Through tickets to the following places:
Montgomery, Ala........$26 | Columbia, S. C........$20
Atlanta, Ga........23 | Jacksonville, Fla........21
Augusta, Ga........20 | Pilatka, Fla........23
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The MARION succeeds on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 29.
NOTICE.—There will be no steamer on WEDNESDAY, Dec. 22.

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The Famous Extreme Clipper Ship
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These vessels carry a clear white light at mast-head; green on starboard bow; red on port bow.
CANADA, Lang, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Dec. 1.
AFRICA, Shannon, leaves New-York, Wed'day, Dec. 8.
EUROPA, Leitch, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Dec. 15.
PERSIA, Judkins, leaves New-York, Wed'sday, Dec. 22.
ARABIA, Stone, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Dec. 29.
ASIA, Lott, leaves New-York, Wednesday, Jan. 5.
CANADA, Lang, leaves Boston, Wednesday, Jan. 12.
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Berths not secured until paid for.
An experienced Surgeon on board.
The owners of these ships will not be accountable for gold, silver, bullion, specie, jewelry, precious stones or metals, unless bills of lading are signed therefor and the value thereof therein expressed. For freight or passage, apply to E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

ATLANTIC ROYAL MAIL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S NEW-YORK AND GALWAY LINE.—The next departure from New-York will be the steamship CIRCASSIAN Capt. GEO. WM. JACKSON, on THURSDAY, Dec. 30, next, touching at St. Johns, N. F., to receive the royal mails. Prices of passage: First class, $90; Second, $50; Third, $30, including free tickets to all the principal cities on railway routes in Great Britain. Third class must provide plate, knife, fork, &c., and bedding. Passage to St. Johns: First class, $35; Second, $25. For freight or passage, inquire of the American Express Company, No. 61 Hudson-st., and at their other advertised offices in the interior. Passage in the third class can be secured at any of the above offices to bring persons out from any of the principal cities on the lines of railway in Great Britain for $35, or from Galway for $30.
AMERICAN EXPRESS COMPANY,
ALEX. HOLLAND, Manager.
NEW-YORK, Nov. 13, 1858.

FOR SOUTHAMPTON AND HAVRE.—THE U. S. Mail steamer FULTON, J. A. WATTON Commander, will leave for Havre, touching at Southampton to land the mails and passengers, on SATURDAY, Jan. 8, at 12 o'clock, from pier No. 37 North River, foot of Beach-st. This ship has five water-tight compartments inclosing the engines, so that in the event of collision or stranding, the water could not reach them, and the pumps being free to work, the safety of the vessel and passengers would be secured. Baggage not wanted during the voyage should be sent on board the day before sailing, marked "below."

For freight or passage apply to
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N. B.—The steamer ARAGO will succeed the FULTON, and sail Feb. 5.

FOR SAVANNAH AND FLORIDA.—THE AMERICAN ATLANTIC SCREW STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S new and elegant steamship HUNTSVILLE, J. A. POST, Commander, will leave Pier No. 12, North River, on SATURDAY, Dec. 25, at 3 o'clock P. M. Passage to Savannah, with unsurpassed accommodations, $15. Through tickets to New-Orleans, $39 50; Mobile, $35; Montgomery, $26; Albany, Ga., $24; Atlanta and Columbus, $23; Macon, $21; Augusta, $20; also, to principal places in Florida at lowest rates. Freight, 10 cents per foot, and proportionate rates. Insurance, ½ per cent. Apply to
H. B. CROMWELL & CO., No. 86 West-st.

FOR PORTSMOUTH, CITY POINT AND RICHMOND.—The United States Mail steamship ROANOKE, Capt. THOMAS SKINNER, will leave on SATURDAY, 25th inst., at 3 o'clock P. M., from Pier No. 13, North River. She will arrive at Portsmouth the next afternoon, and at Petersburg the following morning. Passengers for the South will proceed by the great Southern mail line. Those for Richmond will arrive there early on Friday morning. Travelers will find this the cheapest, pleasantest, and most expeditious route. Passenger's fare, with stateroom, to Norfolk, $8; to Petersburg and Richmond, $10. Apply to HENRY LUDLAM, No. 32 Broadway.

GREAT UNITED STATES MAIL SOUTHERN STEAMSHIP LINES.—FOR HAVANA AND KEY WEST, FLA., VIA CHARLESTON, S. C.—The splendid and favorite steamship ISABEL, Captain WM. ROLLINS, will leave Charleston for Key West and Havana on the 4th and 19th of each month. The Charleston steamships will leave this port for Charleston every WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, at 3 o'clock P. M., from Pier No. 4, North River, connecting with the ISABEL for the above ports. Through tickets may be had on application to SPOFFORD, TILESTON & CO., No. 29 Broadway.

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EDINBURG, Capt. Cumming, SATURDAY, Dec. 25, 12 noon.
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NOTICE.—THE STEAMSHIP JAMESTOWN WILL be withdrawn from the Norfolk and Richmond line after her trip of SATURDAY, 18th inst., for the purpose of undergoing repairs. The steamship ROANOKE, Capt. SKINNER, will leave here on SATURDAY, 25th inst., at 3 P. M., for Portsmouth, City Point and Richmond, and continue to leave every Saturday, at the same hour, for same places, until further notice.
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FOR NASSAU, N. P., AND HAVANA.—THE British and North American Royal Mail steamship KARNAK, Capt. BROWNLESS, is now on her voyage from England to New-York, and will sail next month for Nassau, N. P., and Havana. For freight or passage, apply to E. CUNARD, No. 4 Bowling-green.

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT.
For Albany and Troy, fare $3.
On and after Monday, Dec. 6, 1858, trains will leave 26th-st., New-York, as follows:
8:20 A. M. for White Plains.
9:30 A. M. for Williams Bridge.
10 A. M. mail train for Albany.
11:30 A. M. for White Plains.
2:30 P. M. for Williams Bridge.
3 P. M. for Millerton.
3:30 P. M. Express for Albany.
4 P. M. for Croton Falls.
5 P. M. for White Plains.
6:15 P. M. for White Plains, from White and Centre sts.
6:30 P. M. for Williams Bridge.
RETURNING WILL LEAVE
5 A. M. from White Plains.
6:40 A. M. from Williams Bridge.
7 A. M. from Croton Falls.
7 A. M. from Millerton.
7:20 A. M. from White Plains.
8:15 A. M. mail train from Albany.
10:30 A. M. from Williams Bridge.
12:30 P. M. from White Plains.
3 P. M. from White Plains.
3:30 P. M. Albany Express.
5 P. M. from Williams Bridge.
WM. J. CAMPBELL, Superintendent.

NEW-YORK AND ERIE RAILROAD.—On and after MONDAY, Nov. 29, 1858, and until further notice, passenger trains will leave Pier foot of Duane-st., as follows, viz.: Dunkirk Express, at 8 A. M., for Dunkirk and principal intermediate stations. Mail West at 9 A. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo and intermediate stations. Rockland Passenger, at 3 P. M., from foot Murray-st., *via* Piermont, for Sufferns and intermediate stations. Way passenger at 3:30 P.M., for Newburg, Port Jervis and intermediate stations. Night Express, at 4:30 P. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo, and principal intermediate stations. Emigrant, at 6 P. M., for Dunkirk and Buffalo and intermediate stations. The above trains run daily, Sundays excepted. These Express Trains connect at Elmira with the Elmira and Canandaigua Railroad for Niagara Falls; at Binghamton, with the Syracuse and Binghamton Railroad for Syracuse; at Corning, with the Buffalo, New-York and Erie Railroad for Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls; at Great Bend, with the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad for Scranton; at Buffalo and Dunkirk, with the Lake Shore Railroad for Cleveland, Cincinnati, Toledo, Detroit, Chicago, &c.
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FALL ARRANGEMENT—Commencing Oct. 1, 1858.—Leaves New-York for Easton and intermediate places from Pier No. 2 North River, at 7:30 A. M., 12 M., and 4 P. M.; for Sommerville, by above trains, at 5 P. M. The above trains connect at Elizabeth with trains on the New-Jersey Railroad, which leave New-York from foot of Courtlandt-st. at 7:30 and 12 M., 4 and 5 P. M.

Passengers for the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad will leave at 7:30 A. M. only; for Lehigh Valley Railroad at 7:30 A. M. and 12 only.
JOHN O. STEARNS, Superintendent.

HUDSON RIVER RAILROAD.—FROM DEC. 1, 1858, Trains will leave Chambers-st. Station as follows: Express Trains, 8 A. M. and 4:30 P. M.; Albany Mail Train, 11:15 A. M.; for Poughkeepsie, 6:45 A. M. and 3:20 P. M.; for Dobb's Ferry, 11:40 A. M., and 3:45 P. M.; for Sing Sing, 5 P. M.; for Peekskill, 6:30 P. M. The Poughkeepsie, Peekskill, Sing Sing, and Dobb's Ferry Trains stop at the Way Stations. Passengers taken at Chambers, Canal, Christopher and 31st sts. Trains for New-York leave Troy at 6:35 and 10:20 A. M., and 5:30 P. M., and Albany about 15 minutes later. On Sundays at 8 P. M. A. F. SMITH, Superintendent.

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J. W. WOODRUFF, Assistant Superintendent.

FLUSHING RAILROAD—LEAVES FULTON Market Wharf, by steamer IOLAS, 6:35, 7:50 and 11 A. M.; 1, 3:45 and 5 P. M. The cars leave Flushing at 6:30, 8 and 10 A. M., and 1, 3:45 and 5 P. M., exchanging passengers with the boat at Hunter's Point—through in 60 minutes. Fare 25 cents. WM. N. SMITH, Receiver.

LONG ISLAND RAILROAD LEAVES SOUTH Ferry, Brooklyn, at 10 A. M. for Greenport; Syosset 3.30 (on Saturday nights only to Yaphank;) Hempstead 5; Jamaica 6.30 P.M.

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THE MOUNT VERNON PAPERS.

HOW THEY ARE RECEIVED.

The Press Echoing the Sentiments of the People.

NOT ONE DISSENTING VOICE.

THE LEDGER IS OUT.

It is only forty-eight hours since the number of the New-York Ledger, containing the first of Mr. Everett's papers, was issued; and yet in this brief space of time, the following notices have been received. Of course, this is but a mere sprinkling before the great shower. Mr. Pettengill, the well-known advertising agent, assures Mr. Bonner that he has not yet seen one unfavorable notice of this number of the Ledger in all the papers received at his office, and *he* receives more out-of-town papers than any other man in New-York City. This is certainly significant.

Nearly half-a-million copies of the Ledger, with the first of the Mount Vernon Papers, have been published. Ten steam-presses have been at work, day and night, for the past week; and yet the demand remains unsupplied; telegrapic dispatches for "more" are constantly received from dealers in distant cities and towns.

Those who have not yet read this number of the Ledger can obtain copies of it at any of the book and periodical stores where papers and magazines are sold. No yearly subscriptions are received at the Ledger office from persons residing in New-York, or any of the other large cities; but if people prefer to have the Ledger left at their residences every week, all they will have to do will be to ask the carrier who serves them with *any* daily paper to leave it, and he will be glad to obtain their patronage.

From the Philadelphia Daily Press.

Everett's "Mount Vernon Papers."—Yes, Edward Everett, one of the foremost men of all his time—scholar, statesman, diplomatist, orator, patriot—Edward Everett writes for the New York Ledger, and, we believe, will write every week during the ensuing year. This is an event in journalism. Publicists and politicians affect to think slightly of journalism as a profession and of journalists as a class. Yet these are the persons who look to editors for support in their troubles, aims, ambitions, and are made and often unmade by the pen. How many leading men in this country and abroad have been writers for the Press. At this moment, Lord Palmerston and Mr. Disraeli are journalists. We do not think that Mr. Everett lets himself down by writing for the New-York Ledger, a journal of high character, vast circulation, great influence. The masses of the community will read, and it is wise policy to provide popular pabulum for their mental appetite. Mr. Everett, and other journalists all over this country, are performing the part of teachers. The New-York Ledger, with over a million of earnest readers, performs two things—it makes large profits for Mr. Bonner and his contributors, and, supplanting the abominable yellow-covered literature, which infused poison into the minds of young people, only a few years ago, provides the multitude with reading matter healthy in tone and wholesome in nature.

The hallowed purpose which has induced Mr. Everett to become a contributor to the New-York Ledger, must invest "The Mount Vernon Papers' (as his articles are to be called) with unusual interest. The first of them appears in the opening number of the New-York Ledger for 1859. This initial article is introductory, but sufficient to show that the series which it opens will possess many features of permanent interest. The very name denotes the aim which has prompted their composition. Mr. Everett's eloquent and popular style, clear and expressive as it is, will be appreciated by crowds of admiring readers because he writes so that every sentient mind can understand him.

The first number of the "Mount Vernon Papers" occupies three columns—a sufficient reply to the suggested doubt whether, "as Mr. Everett's name alone was wanting, half a column would probably be the limit of his weekly contributions." Not only these articles, but every other line in the Ledger, is copyrighted. Yet Mr. Bonner must permit us, to elucidate the subject of Mr. Everett's contributions, to quote one passage, which shows very distinctively what the public may expect from this source. Mr. Everett says:

"As they will generally be written under the pressure of other engagements and duties, the considerate reader will not expect to find in them that elaboration and finish which he has a right to demand in compositions prepared at leisure, especially when they yield an ample personal remuneration to their authors. I can only endeavor to do the best in my power under the well known circumstances of the case, and candid persons will judge them accordingly."

He then proceeds to add:

"But though called the 'Mount Vernon Papers,' it is not intended that these articles should be exclusively, or even chiefly, taken up in discussing the subject of the purchase of Mount Vernon, or the topics connected or associated with it. They will, indeed, furnish an appropriate channel for whatever information of an interesting character I may be able to offer the public on that subject. It was one of the chief inducements for undertaking their preparation, that they would afford me an opportunity for the attempt to interest a very large circle of readers in an enterprise which I have so much at heart. I shall, accordingly, submit to them, from time to time, an account of the progress and prospects of the work, as far as they fall under my observation. Besides, this, the country abounds with recollections and traditions of Washington connected with his civil and military career—with localities rendered interesting by his battles, his visits, or his sojourn; and with individuals still living who saw him, and of whom a few were personally known to him. There are many original portraits of him in existence, of which a few remain to be described; numerous autographic letters as yet unpublished; and personal relics of every description. Many of these traditions and objects of interest are constantly brought to my notice, in visiting different parts of the country, for the purpose of repeating my address on the character of Washington, and, if I do not mistake, will furnish interesting materials for a few of these papers. It is intended, however, that they shall, upon the whole, be of a miscellaneous character, and exhibit as much variety in the subjects treated, as can be expected from the productions of one pen."

After vindicating the character of the present proprietor of Mount Vernon from unmerited reproach, Mr. Everett laments the predatory visits often paid to the Tomb of Washington, which have destroyed many relics of great interest. He calculates that the readers of the New-York Ledger are one million, (they must be near two, at five persons to each copy,) and says that if each of these contribute half a dollar, the full amount necessary to purchase the home and tomb of Washington would be raised at once. For the other points of Mr. Everett's article we refer to the New-York Ledger itself, which, we may say *en passant*, promises to present to its readers, in a week or two, "a more novel and remarkable feature than ever yet was exhibited in a journal in this country." What can it be?

Mr. Everett concludes his article, most courteously, by acknowledging the kindness and liberality of the Presidents of several railroads, in furnishing him with free tickets, when traveling for the purpose of delivering his lecture on Washington, spoken over one hundred times, in aid of the fund now raising by the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association to purchase the home and tomb of Washington. He also thanks various lines of steamboats, and adds: "Finally, my acknowledgments are due to the proprietors of Adams' Express, for their liberality in forwarding, free of expense, whatever parcels connected with the Mount Vernon purchase I may have occasion to transmit to any part of the country."

From the New-York Courier and Enquirer.

The Mount Vernon Papers and the New-York Ledger.—In Bonner's New-York Ledger of Jan. 1, which was published yesterday, the Hon. Edward Everett, according to previous announcement, made his appearance in the first number of the "Mount Vernon Papers," which he is to continue every week during the next year. This bow of Mr. Everett to the public, yesterday, in the columns of the Ledger, formed an event in the history of weekly journals, to which we have had heretofore, great as we are in papers, no parallel. There was a shower of Ledger's in the streets, the news-stands on the corners were piled with them, the stores of the large news-agents were filled with them, and the news-boys at every turn shouted Ledger and Mount Vernon, with an energy, perseverance, and animation perfectly appalling. Examining the sheet which created all this ferment, we have to say, that we found it to be beautiful in its typography, illustrations and white paper, and, independent of Mr. Everett's contribution, to contain interesting stories, well-written editorials, and very pleasing poetry. The tone of both prose and verse, we are free to say, we found not only unobjectionable, but such as merits approval, while the talent displayed by the different writers is indisputable. It is not necessary for us to enlarge on Mr. Everett's contribution. It is a smooth, polished description of the present state of Mount Vernon, a plain, straightforward and favorable view of the action of Mr. John A. Washington, in reference to the estate, and contains also other matter in relation to the Mount Vernon Fund, which all will find interesting. There is no doubt that these Mount Vernon papers will be in great demand during the coming year. Mr. Everett will merit the thanks of the public for contributing them, and Mr. Bonner deserves the benefit of the fresh impetus which they will give to his really deserving paper.

From the New-York Evening Post.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—We publish to-day a few extracts from the long and interesting article contributed to that widely-circulated journal, the New-York Ledger, by Edward Everett, in acknowledgment of Mr. Bonner's donation of $10,000 to the Mount Vernon Fund. We have no doubt that the publication of these papers will do as much credit to the author's literary reputation as to the liberal enterprise of the publisher. Mr. Everett, in his compositions, aims at perfection, and his weekly discussions of the multifarious topics on which his reflections have turned for many years, cannot fail to be highly readable and instructive. We should think, for example, the personal reminiscences which even a man of his fastidious taste might feel at liberty to publish, going over a long and varied public life at home and abroad, would alone furnish a most fertile and engaging theme.

We may remark here that the number of the Ledger containing the Monnt Vernon Papers, is enriched by other meritorious contributions from authors of distinction, such as George D. Prentice, John G. Saxe, Mrs. Sigourney and Thomas Dunn English, and an agreeable miscellany of reading for the family circle.

From the New-York Tribune.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—The New-York Ledger, containing the first of Mr. Everett's Mount Vernon Papers, was issued yesterday. The article was longer than is usual in Mr. Bonner's journal, occupying nearly three columns; but it is written with Mr. Everett's accustomed elegance, and is a model of pure and admirable English. The author discusses, first, the title he has chosen for his series of articles; then he goes on to state the object in aid of which he writes; then speaks of the present situation of the Mount Vernon estate, and of the means to be adopted to convert it into public property. We make a few brief extracts, by way of showing the quality of the paper.

From the New-York Express.

The Ledger.—For New Year's Day has the deserved commendation of the City Press, without exception, for the ability of its articles, and for the good taste and beautiful typography of the publication. We hear that some days ago 325,000 copies of this number were ordered from abroad, and that half a million of copies are printed. This is an event unapproached in the newspaper publications of the world. Free and liberal advertising has enabled Mr. Bonner to secure the best talent in the country, and to make the best weekly publication in the world, and this is now the general judgment of the whole Press.

From the Livingston (N. Y.) Sentinel.

There is no one who doubts that Robert Bonner is an energetic, go-ahead business man and publisher, and that the New-York Ledger is the best literary paper of its kind published in the world. He has recently donated $10,000 for the purchase of Mount Vernon, and as a kind of reciprocity the Hon. Edward Everett is to contribute a series of articles for the Ledger to be called the "Mount Vernon Papers." The publication of Mr. Everett's articles will be commenced in the first number of the Ledger for 1859.

From the Brooklyn Daily Star.

Mount Vernon Papers.—Well, we have read the first of the Mount Vernon Papers in the New-York Ledger, from the pen of Hon. Edward Everett. It fills about three columns of the Ledger, and forms the introduction. It is mainly about Mount Vernon, as we expected it would be, and being put forth through a channel that reaches so many, we have no doubt that by the interest he will create, he will aid the fund more than twice the amount paid by Mr. Bonner for the articles. We may look upon the "dead point" of the purchase as passed and the work nearly done, now these articles are commenced. They will attract many readers, too, that the Ledger never had before.

From the New-York Evening Post.

LINES

ON THE HON. EDWARD EVERETT ENTERING THE RANKS OF JOURNALISM, THROUGH THE COLUMNS OF BONNER'S NEW-YORK LEDGER.*

Let the pæan be rung! for a chief who is crowned
With a hundred bright laurels of glory
That he gathered in other arenas, is found
On the page of the essay and story.

O! no more to mere thousands his soul is confined;
See the millions themselves are around him!
How they shout in the blaze of his beautiful mind,
As the bond flies apart that has bound him!

Hail Everett! Hail to thy mission of light!
To thy full-fruited spirit's devotion,
Bursting forth with its sweet and invincible might,
For the truth, over valley and ocean.

Hail Orator, Writer! and Publisher hail!
Lo, the Tomb of Old Vernon is shining
With the new wreath your hands, in the wild Winter's [gale,
Are so gallantly o'er it entwining!

December, 1858.

* This journal gives Mr. Everett the sum of $10,000 for fifty-two articles, to be appropriated to the Mount Vernon Fund.

From the Trenton (N. J.) Daily Gazette.

The New-York Ledger.—We have been favored by the publisher with an advance copy of the Ledger for Jan. 1, containing, in addition to much other interesting original matter, the first of the "Mount Vernon Papers," by the Hon. Edward Everett, and also the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth," by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet.

Mr. Everett's first article is eminently characteristic of the man; and their continuation cannot fail to add greatly to the interest of the Ledger. As a literary paper, the Ledger has no superior and but few equals.

From the New-Haven Journal and Courier.

The New-York Ledger.—The Ledger of Jan. 1, of which we have received an advance copy, contains Edward Everett's first "Mount Vernon Paper." It is introductory to his subject, explaining the case as it now stands, and making a suggestion which will be interesting to the half million subscribers of the Ledger. It also has the opening chapter of what promises to be a very entertaining history of the Colony of New-Plymouth, which, no doubt, will be as authentic and faithful as the veritable Knickerbocker's History of New-York. Besides these, Mrs. Sigourney, J. G. Saxe, Wm. Ross Wallace, and a number of able contributors, add to the value and interest of the paper. Bonner is a go-ahead man, but he don't mean to make his fortune without giving a full equivalent to his readers.

From the New-Bedford Mercury.

"The Mount Vernon Papers."—We are indebted to Mr. Bonner, the enterprising publisher, for an advance copy of the New-York Ledger, for January 1, 1859, which contains the first of the fifty Mount Vernon Papers, to be contributed by the Hon. Edward Everett, in consideration of the donation of Mr. Bonner of $10,000 towards the purchase of Mount Vernon, Mr. Everett states that in acceding to the proposition of Mr. Bonner, he is enabled thereby to reach and interest a large number of readers in the enterprise which he has so much at heart; and sets forth a general programme of the subjects on which he shall treat. The Ledger also contains the opening chapter of "A True History of Plymouth," by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse. Parsons & Co., No. 107 Union-street, are agents for the Ledger.

From the Paterson (N. J.) Guardian.

The New-York Ledger.—The issue of this omnipresent weekly for the 1st of January, a copy of which we have just received, contains the first of "The Mount Vernon Papers," by the Hon. Edward Everett. The mere announcement of these contributions has created a lively interest all over the country. The present is a sort of introductory article to a series which will probably bring to light more incidents, &c., connected with Washington's career than any publication that has made its appearance for years. In addition to this we notice the commencement of a series on the History of New-Plymouth Colony. The author modestly styles himself "a descendant of Anne Bradstreet." Every number of the Ledger will henceforth be copy-righted, so that these communications can only be had "in the original package." Sorry; but it can't be helped.

From the Boston Daily Advertiser.

New-York Ledger!—Mount Vernon Papers!—By this cry the streets were reminded yesterday that the first paper of Mr. Everett's series, contributed to the New-York Ledger, was already in print, and ready for study or criticism.

It is a simple, introductory essay, explaining the general purposes of the Mount Vernon subscription, and giving some details of facts, in the course of that explanation, which it is quite desirable the public should know. This essay is marked not only by Mr. Everett's enthusiasm for the national cause he has espoused, and by his practical views of it in its different relations, but, in many passages, by that playful humor which shows itself in his speeches so often, and which we remember so pleasantly in some of his early contributions to our magazines and annual literature.

He says, very distinctly, that while he makes these papers the organ for communicating any information he may have of general interest, bearing on the Mount Vernon enterprise, that will be by no means the leading subject of the papers. We are very glad to see this announcement. Mr. Everett really reserves for himself ground as wide as any "Spectator," or "Rambler," or "Idler," and the fifty-two papers may be expected to sweep wide in their mission of instruction and amusement.

And what a mission it is! The publisher from whom we purchased the copies of the Ledger which lie before us—whose house is only one of the numerous establishments which deal in the issues of the periodical press in this city—ordered for his own business merely, thirteen thousand copies of this number. And we mention this act simply because a small number is sometimes better taken in and understood than a large one. There is no question that of each number of the Ledger three hundred thousand copies are printed for circulation through the country. The estimate which supposes that a million persons read each number is small.

There is not, in the world besides, such a body of readers, or such an audience. It would be well worth while for any philanthropic man, or society, to pay Mr. Bonner lavishly for the privilege of occupying the space in his paper which he has asked Mr. Everett to fill. We suppose, for instance, that there is not the Tract Society in the country whose pamphlet publications, though made at the expense of hundred of thousands of dollars, will meet this year so many eyes as these papers of Mr. Everett's.

Every number of our own paper is one more evidence of our estimate of the influence of the journalist in our day. The influence is illustrated anew when a statesman and scholar like Mr. Everett takes the machinery of a weekly newspaper as one of the most efficient means at his command for carrying out a magnificent national enterprise. The illustration, however, goes much further. It shows, in a simple way, what is the accumulated power of high literary enterprise, of that immense common-school training which has made America the greatest reading country of the world. These Mount Vernon papers address the people of America. The pen, the spirit, the fun, the wit and the eloquence of the first of American oartors are at their service for this year. Now, we consider it to be matter of legitimate pride, as an illustration of the triumph of the great American system of instruction, that the people have this power. No journal in America, with a lesser audience, could secure such service. The most venerable quarterlies, the most sprightly monthlies and other magazines vainly woo such contributors as Mr. Everett. They have not the array of readers who can command such men. It is only when the millions of every class virtually combine in the creation of a journal which addresses all that their united voices speak so loud that such authors cannot refuse. No man dares throw away the chance of moving so many men to high and brave resolve. No one man in America has done so much as Mr. Everett in the creation and improvement of that system of public instruction which has created such legions of readers. No man deserves as he does the triumph of wielding such a power as he now commands.

From the N. Y. Correspondence of the Phila. Inquirer.

New-York, Saturday, Dec 20, 1858.

The New-York Ledger—First of the Mount Vernon Papers—Magazine Literature.—In the absence of news of importance, I take the opportunity afforded by the appearance of Mr. Edward Everett's Introduction to the Mount Vernon papers in the New-York Ledger to-day, to say something of Mr. Robert Bonner's enterprize in a literary point of view. I agree with you in your views recently published as to the difficulty of finding a large class of readers in the United States who will pay anything like two shillings for a Magazine. The Proprietors of the Republications of the English Quarterlies, even, have recently announced that they are in danger of suspending their publications another significant fact in addition to those cited by you to prove that our people are not yet educated to an appreciation of literary talent. The encouragement that is given to any work is chiefly derived from the females of the country. Men do not heed expending two or three, or even ten, shillings a day for useless drink and nerve-soothing cigars, but would think it a hard case to pay fifty cents a month for one or two high-toned literary or scientific journals to place upon their tables. The New-York Ledger has its basis on these truths, and I know, from the returns of the sales seen by me, that before the financial panic the sales of that paper amounted to upward 330,000 weekly. Now, this circulation is doing much good to public taste, and eventually it will educate its millions of readers to enjoy more substantial matter. The Family Herald, of London, published for a penny, had for ten years an average circulation of 300,000 weekly, and it gradually gave to its readers more fact and less fancy, preparing the way for a more useful literature than that which first gave it its large circulation. Some of the best and wisest essays in the language were issued in its columns. Mr. Bonner will be obliged to adopt the same course. In fact he is now on the way to it. Our young readers will find that the practical is the truly valuable—that facts are the source of all knowledge, and that no theory can be sustained without them. In five years more the Ledger may be the highest type of magazine literature. There is nothing to hinder it. Mr. Bonner is an eminently practical man, with clear perceptions, refined taste, and well able to judge how far he can trust to gratify it. Just as far as he can go, I am persuaded he will go on in improving his work, and though he may excite the envy of some persons and the hostility of others, all liberal minds in the literary world should recognize that he is doing society an incalculable service, the fruits of which are sure to be developed in the future.

From the New-York Chronicle—A leading Baptist paper

Mount Vernon Papers by Edward Everett.—As we go to press the first of these much-expected contributions of the accomplished Everett to the Ledger, appears in the columns of that paper. We are willing to take this opportunity to say a word concerning the Ledger and its proprietor. "All men will praise thee," saith high authority, "when thou doest well for thyself." Mr. Bonner is receiving the full benefit of this proclivity of human nature. At the risk of being involved in the classification, we say that the Ledger is by far the best paper of its class. There is probably much misapprehension as to its character, especially among those who are religious, conservative and jealous for public morals. For although there have been issued the incredible number of half a million of copies for Jan. 1, there are a great many people who never, by any chance, see the Ledger, and who think it a paper of at least very doubtful character. While it is neither profound nor high, it is unexceptionable in morals; and we, at least, have no right to complain of it on the score of taste, having observed, in several instances, extracts from our own editorials adorning its columns, unostentatious of their source. Indeed, the proprietor is exceedingly fastidious upon the point of delicacy, and rigid in his requirements to a degree which might be imitated by many of our most respectable papers, with great advantage to themselves. While this is true, and Mr. Bonner deserves the credit of it, we think that the illustrated stories, upon which we suppose a large portion of the circulation of the paper depends, are rather calculated to pamper a liking for the adventurous, romantic and marvelous, than to cultivate a refined and healthy taste.

We should have expected as much good from a gentleman of Mr. Bonner's known religious character, and may be permitted to express a hope that he will not be averse to any improvement which may render his paper not only a source of wealth, but employ its great influence for the highest interests of its readers. This would be a noble ambition, and might make his name a monument.

In reference to Mr. Everett's article, we think that more will be required than even his most polished pen, to persuade the people—especially of the North—that the proprietor of the Mount Vernon estate is not a degenerate scion, a sordid speculator. We are sure that our noble women, who, with the sensitiveness of their sex to whatever is high and patriotic, have taken this work in hand, think so. We confess that we do not envy him his position, bargaining with these our earthly angels, who, taking from our hands the work we ought to have done, are rescuing our country and age from a stigma which history would have fixed upon it forever.

From the Philadelphia Argus.

The New-York Ledger.—There is no publisher in the United States that possesses the indomitable energy that Mr. Bonner does. No paper in the country is so free from indecorous and unbecoming matter as is the New-York Ledger. No lady need fear that a blush will be called up to the cheek by reading any of its chapters aloud.

From the Bridgeport Daily Advertiser.

The New-York Ledger.—We have received an advance copy of the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, which contains—in addition to much other interesting original matter—the first of the Mount Vernon Papers, by the Hon. Edward Everett, and also the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth, by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse." The Ledger begins the new year with the great additional attraction of the papers by Mr. Everett, the first installment of his part of the consideration, for Mr. Bonner's munificent donation to the Mount Vernon Fund. Sanford receives subscriptions for the Ledger in this city.

From the Boston Journal.

The New-York Ledger.—We have received an advance copy of Bonner's New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, containing the first of the series of Mount Vernon Papers. This paper is mainly introductory.

The first chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth" is given, which bids fair to be rich and spicy. Saxe has a long poem in this number. Mrs. L. H Sigourney, Alice Carey, and other well-known writers are contributors to the Ledger, which is certainly a paper of a high order of merit, and one which may be safely admitted into any family.

From the Boston Traveller.

The First of the Mount Vernon Papers.—We have received an advance copy of the New-York Ledger of January 1st, containing the first of the fifty Mount Vernon Papers, to be contributed by the Hon. Edward Everett, in consideration of the donation by Mr. Bonner of $10,000 towards the Fund for the purchase of Mount Vernon. The article is appropriately headed with a view of Mount Vernon in 1796.

Mr. Everett, in his article, gives his reasons for assenting to the proposition of Mr. Bonner, stating that he is thereby enabled to reach and interest a large number of readers in the enterprize which he has so much at heart. He then describes the present condition of Mount Vernon, and the bad results of the want of restraint upon the large number of annual visitors to the spot.

The Ledger also contains the opening chapter of "A True History of Plymouth, by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse, &c."

From the Boston Daily Advertiser.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—The New-York Ledger, with the first of the "Mount Vernon Papers," from Mr. Everett's pen, will be for sale by the newsmen to day. The publisher of the Ledger has secured a copyright for the whole of his paper, and, were it otherwise, it would be of course unfair to reprint what he has secured by the payment of so large a sum. The motto of the "Mount Vernon Papers" is that used by Washington himself "*Exitus acta probat.*"

This number of the Ledger also contains the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth, by I. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse, &c., &c., &c.," besides its usual variety of general reading.

From the Boston Daily Ledger.

Mount Vernon, Everett and Bonner.—The first of the famous Mount Vernon Papers of Mr. Everett is out. It appears in the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, which is already out, and on our table.

Mr. Everett suggests to each of the readers of the Ledger, estimating them at a million, to contribute a half dollar each to the fund, which would at once close up the whole business, and more too. He will receive the subscriptions himself.

This is a capital idea. Now begin and pour them in.

From the Illustrated London News, Dec. 4.

Something of a sensation has been made in the literary world by the announcement that Bonner, of the Ledger, has secured a series of articles from the pen of Edward Everett for the columns of that popular weekly. Mr. Bonner has paid $10,000 into the Mount Vernon Fund, for which Mr. Everett agrees to write an article each week for one year, entitled "The Mount Vernon Papers." It is a capital operation for the publisher; and it will do the refined and eloquent Everett no harm to address a million of readers a week through an edition of 350,000 copies of the Ledger. This last donation swells Mr. Everett's contribution to the sum $60,000; and Messrs. Derby and Jackson, popular publishers of this city, offer $5,000 for the privilege of publishing the series of articles in a volume at the end of the year.

From the Auburn (N. Y.) Daily Advertiser.

New-York Ledger.—We are in receipt of an advance copy of the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, which contains, in addition to much other interesting original matter, the first of the Mount Vernon Papers, by the Hon. Edward Everett. A new story by Sylvanus Cobb, Jr., entitled "Harry Montford, or the Privateer's last Prize," is also commenced; also the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New Plymouth, by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse." John G. Saxe has an amusing, versified and diversified story of "Ho-Ho of the Golden Belt," being one of the "nine stories of China."

If the numbers of the Ledger succeeding the one before us prove half as interesting and valuable, the price asked for it is infinitely less than its real worth. An array of talent, such as no other Journal has ever enjoyed, is now employed on its columns. Its success is not at all to be wondered at.

From the Philadelphia Daily Ledger.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—The first of Mr. Everett's papers, written for the New-York Ledger, has appeared in the number of that paper for Jan. 1, 1859, published in advance. Mr. Everett's contributions will add to the value of the Ledger, which is otherwise a publication of no ordinary merit, being supplied liberally with well-written editorials and essays upon various subjects from writers of acknowledged merit. Mr. Everett, in his first paper, explains why he has undertaken the task of writing those papers, and the interest he feels in rescuing Mount Vernon from neglect and destruction. The newspapers over the country have been very liberal, or rather very illiberal, in their abuse of Mr. Washington, the present owner of Mount Vernon for suffering that estate to fall into decay; but, according to Mr. Everett, the public have shown the greatest neglect of a place hallowed by national and patriotic associations, and when they have done their duty it will be time enough to rebuke Mr. Washington.

From the Hartford Daily Press.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—C. G. Geer has received the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, containing the first number of Mr. Everett's Mount Vernon Papers. This article is only introductory, laying out somewhat the groundwork for future numbers. They are not to be exclusively or even chiefly taken up in discussing the subject of the purchase of Mount Vernon. In visiting different parts of the country for the purpose of delivering his lecture upon Washington, many traditions and objects of interest are brought to Mr. Everett's notice, which will furnish materials for a few of the papers, which it is designed shall, upon the whole, be of a miscellaneous character, and exhibit as much variety in the subjects treated as can be expected from the productions of one pen.

From the Boston Daily Transcript.

First Fruits.—We understand that before 1 o'clock this afternoon, a letter was received by Mr. Everett from Mr. N. D. Sawin of North Avenue, Old Cambridge, inclosing ten dollars as his contribution toward the fund for the purchase of Mount Vernon, which was forwarded by Mr. Sawin in pursuance of the notice appended to the first number of the Mount Vernon papers, which Mr. Sawin had just seen in the New-York Ledger.

This donation was accompanied by a very interesting letter from the donor, relating his father's reminiscences of Washington.

We understand that a handsomely engraved receipt is in preparation, ornamented with views of the river and garden front of Mount Vernon, a copy of which will be sent to every person transmitting a subscription to Mr. Everett.

From the Albany Daily Knickerbocker.

New York Ledger.—The first of Mr. Everett's "Mount Vernon Papers" makes its appearance in the number of the Ledger which has just been published. It fills about two columns and a half of the paper, and is a general introduction to the series—giving a statement of the circumstances which have prompted the movement, in which Mr. B. has borne such a conspicuous part, for the purchase of the Mount Vernon Estate. The articles which Mr. Everett will furnish the Ledger will double its circulation, and make it the most widely-read journal that the world has ever seen. Bonner's success, great as it is, is not beyond his deserts. The enterprise which he has exhibited, in conducting the Ledger, shows that he is the "Napoleon of Publishers." In addition to the Paper furnished by Mr. Everett, the Ledger of this week will also contain the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth," by J. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the "Tenth Muse," etc., etc.

From the Boston Daily Post.

The Mount Vernon Papers.—We received by mail, last evening, a copy of the New-York Ledger, containing the first of the "Mount Vernon Papers," by Mr. Edward Everett. The writer first gives the reasons for calling his articles by the name of "Mount Vernon Papers"—as suggesting an excuse for modestly anticipated imperfections—and says:

"But though called the 'Mount Vernon Papers,' it is not intended that these articles should be exclusively or even chiefly taken up in discussing the subject of the purchase of Mount Vernon, or the topics connected or associated with it. They will indeed furnish an appropriate channel for whatever information of an interesting character I may be able to offer the public on that subject. It was one of the chief inducements for undertaking their preparation, that they would afford me an opportunity for the attempt to interest a very large circle of readers in an enterprise which I have so much at heart. I shall accordingly submit to them, from time to time, an account of the progress and prospects of the work, as far as they fall under my observation. Besides this, the country abounds with recollections and traditions of Washington connected with his civil and military career; with localities rendered interesting by his battles, his visits or his sojourn; and with individuals still living who saw him, and of whom a few were personally known to him. There are many original portraits of him in existence, of which a few remain, to be described; numerous autographic letters as yet unpublished; and personal relics of every description. Many of these traditions and objects of interest are constantly brought to my notice in visiting different parts of the country for the purpose of repeating my address on the character of Washington, and, if I do not mistake, will furnish interesting materials for a few of these papers. It is intended, however, that they shall, upon the whole, be of a miscellaneous character, and exhibit as much variety in the subjects treated as can be expected from the productions of one pen."

Mr. Everett gives a few paragraphs from his address as illustrative of the object in aid of which these articles will be prepared, exculpates Mr. Washington for the "dismal spectacle of Mount Vernon," and, leaving reproaches aside, puts forth many reasons showing the necessity of the purchase of the grounds by a voluntary association coextensive with the Union. In conclusion, the writer suggests to the readers of the New-York Ledger the contribution of half a dollar each to the Mount Vernon fund—which, estimating their number at a million, would at once enable the purchase of the estate. Mr. Everett expresses his willingness to aid in giving effect to this suggestion by receiving subscriptions himself.

From the New-York Daily Times.

The New-York Ledger.—The first of Mr. Everett's "Mount Vernon Papers" makes its appearance in the number of the Ledger which was published yesterday. It fills about two columns and a half of the paper, and is a general introduction to the series, giving a statement of the circumstances which have prompted the movement in which Mr. E. has borne so conspicuous a part—for the purchase of the Mount Vernon estate, vindicating its present proprietor from the censure he has received for demanding an extravagant price for it, and concluding by proposing that each of the million readers of the Ledger shall send him half a dollar, or more, towards the accomplishment of the object. He takes occasion to say that the series of papers will not be confined to this particular subject, but will be made the medium for whatever he may have to communicate to the public in regard to the character, history, and memorials of Washington.

The appearance of this article from Mr. Everett's pen will bring the Ledger to the notice of very many persons who have not been in the habit of reading it hitherto. They have formed their opinion of the paper from the current newspaper representations of it—they will be disappointed in its character. Instead of one of the flash weeklies of the day, filled with exciting and demoralizing fiction, they will find it one of the most carefully edited journals of the day,—abounding in judicious practical suggestions, conveyed in the most unexceptional terms, and fastidiously avoiding everything which can offend good taste or the most rigid morality. Mr. Bonner is fully entitled to the praise, not only of being the most astute and enterprising publisher, but of being also the most judicious and successful practical editor of the day. He has won his unequaled and deserved success, not less by the skill and ability with which he has catered to the public taste, than by the bold energy with which he has conducted the business of his establishment.

The Ledger is printed in a style of unequaled neatness and elegance. We understand that half a million copies of this number, which bears date the 1st of January, have been printed, and were issued yesterday from the publishing agency of Ross & Tousey, in Nassau-street.

From the Boston Transcript.

The New-York Ledger.—By this time, everybody in the United States must have heard that Mr. Bonner, of the New-York Ledger, has secured the services of the Hon. Edward Everett, as a contributor to his paper for one year,—the object of Mr. Everett being to obtain a liberal sum for the Mount Vernon Fund, and to impart to the million of readers of the Ledger a tithe of his own familiarity with the personal and public life of the "Father of his Country." It was a great thought all round—shrewd in Bonner, patriotic and wise in Mr. Everett. How could ten thousand dollars be procured in an easier manner for the Mount Vernon Fund, and how could the influence of the most widely-circulated journal in the country be turned into better channels than in this way? Mr. Everett, as is well known, confers with the public, through the Ledger, under the caption of "The Mount Vernon Papers." The first of these papers we have received in an advance copy of the Ledger for Jan. 1. The production is preliminary in its character, but imparts honor and dignity to one of the most handsomely-printed and readable sheets published within the limits of the Union.

The "Mount Vernon Papers," which are to appear weekly in Bonner's paper, will, undoubtedly, largely augment its already immense circulation. There is much public curiosity to read these articles.

From the New-York Day Book.

The Ledger for New-Year's Day.—We have received a copy of the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, 1859. It is certainly the most attractive number we have seen from Mr. Bonner's hands. The principal feature is, of course, the Mount Vernon Papers of Edward Everett, the first number of which is now published. It is written in the easy, graceful style of that distinguished gentleman, and contains some valuable practical suggestions in relation to the Mount Vernon enterprise. Mr. Bonner spreads a feast of good things before his patrons, positively unequaled in any previous issue of his world-renowned sheet. Among other attractions we notice the introductory chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth," by a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, a humorous article by Fanny Fern, a humorous poem with illustrations by John G. Saxe, a sketch by Mrs. Sigourney, other poems by William Ross Wallace, Thomas Dunn English, George D. Prentice, Alice Cary, Phebe Cary and Joseph Barber, and stories by Mary C. Vaughan, Dr. Wadsworth and others. Cobb's new story of "Harry Montford, or, the Privateer's Last Cruise," is commenced, and the great story of "Alaric" is concluded.

From the New-York Daily News.

First Number of the New-York Ledger for 1859.—Our streets were vocal yesterday afternoon with the voices of the newsboys, announcing the appearance of the New-York Ledger for the first week in January, 1859, containing the initial number of the Mount Vernon Papers, by the Hon. Edward Everett. Wagons were conveying loads of Ledgers to the whole-sale dealers, messengers were carrying bundles of them to the retail stores and general news dépôts, while nearly every pedestrian you met had just purchased a copy for himself. Heretofore the Ledger has been sent to the distant States on Monday, to Ohio, Western Pennsylvania and portions of the New-England States on Tuesday, to the Hudson River towns on Wednesday, not being ready for sale in New-York, where it is printed, until Thursday. Hereafter it will be issued in this City on Monday of every week at 1 o'clock P. M., and a fair competition will be given newsdealers to transmit it to every portion of the Union.

All the matter appearing in this number was written especially for it, and is copy-righted, as each article in every succeding number will be. Although the public expectation with reference to the Mount Vernon Papers, is justly high, Mr. Everett, evidently appreciating this, endeavors to excuse himself with the remark that, as they will generally be written under the pressure of other engagements and duties, the considerate reader will not expect to find in them that elaboration and finish which he has a right to demand of compositions prepared at leisure, especially when they bring an ample personal remuneration to their authors. But the distinguished author of these papers need make no apology; nothing can emanate from his pen unworthy of the man. While the first number is very properly principally devoted to a brief statement of the object in aid of which the papers are to be prepared, it is by no means the intention o Mr. Everett to confine them exclusively, or even chiefly, to matters connected with the purchase of Mount Vernon; he intimates that besides general interesting information, unpublished reminiscences of Washington will form appropriate matter for the Mount Vernon Papers, which, it will be anticipated, are to be somewhat of a miscellaneous character.

He alludes to the failure of Congress and Virginia to purchase the Mount Vernon Estate, and fully exonerates Mr. Washington, the present proprietor, against whatever aspersions may have been cast upon him in regard to its sale. Mr. Everett submits a proposition, suggested by the munificence of the proprietor of the Ledger, in paying $10,000 to the Mount Vernon Fund for the preparation of those papers, that each reader of the Ledger transmits to him half a dollar toward the purchase of the resting-place of Washington, and which if done, he says, would immediately accomplish that object. Besides the great variety of other original matter, this number of the Ledger contains the beginning of a new story by Sylvanus Cobb, Jr., and the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New-Plymouth," by P. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, more commonly known as the Tenth Muse. Altogether it is an elegant number.

From the New-York Express.

Edward Everett's First Paper.—From the 1st of January Ledger we learn at the hands of Mr. Everett that he has repeated his Washington oration in this City on the 12th of November last, for the one hundred and first time! It has been spoken several times since. The present occupant of the Mount Vernon Estate will thank Mr. Everett for his first paper, as it is the completest vindication yet made for receiving the value put by him upon the Estate. Mr. E. also offers to receive Mount Vernon contributions from any of the million of readers of the Ledger. The January number of the Ledger is certainly unsurpassed, and, we think, unequaled, both in the ability of its contributions and in the character of its contributions.

From the New-York Churchman.

Among the literary weeklies of the day none aims at a higher moral standard than the Ledger, and so long as it retains among its regular corps of contributors such names as Everett, Prentice, Saxe, Mrs. Sigourney, Alice Cary and others, it can scarcely fail to maintain its popularity.

From the New-York Commercial Advertiser.

The New-York Ledger.—We have received from Mr. Bonner an advance copy of the New-York Ledger for Jan. 1, which contains—in addition to much other interesting original matter—the first of the "Mount Vernon Papers," by the Hon Edward Everett, and also the opening chapter of "A True History of the Colony of New Plymouth," by I. B., a descendant of Anne Bradstreet, commonly called the Tenth Muse.

The Ledger begins the new year with the great additional attraction of these papers by Mr. Everett, the first installment of his part of the consideration, for Mr. Bonner's munificent donation to the Mount Vernon Fund. The paper contributed by Mr. Everett, is an account of the origin and progress of the plan now prosecuted for the purchase of Mount Vernon, and his mention of Mr. John A. Washington gives another complexion to the character of that gentleman than the one he wears in the popular estimation. Mr. Everett's first "paper" will place the whole matter in a new light before the public.

A CARD FROM MR. BONNER

ABOUT

A LIVE NEWSPAPER!

I believe that one man has as good a right to publish a paper as another, or to get up a large circulation, or to employ eminent contributors, or to advertise extensively, or to do anything else that is honest and fair. I do not believe, however, that any publisher has a right to impose upon and deceive the public, or to attempt to steal another man's "thunder," or to do anything else that is mean and dishonorable. In a word, I believe that "Every tub should stand upon its own bottom."

In yesterday's *Tribune*, a Boston publication advertised itself as

"A LIVE NEWSPAPER,"

and, as an evidence of its vitality—as a proof that it was *alive*—that it contained a contribution by the Hon. EDWARD EVERETT, and a Humorous Poem by JOHN G. SAXE. On examining this paper, which was announced with such a flourish of trumpets, I found that it contained just twenty-two lines by Mr. Everett, *which it had copied from an old Agricultural address*; and the "Humorous Poem," by John G. Saxe, I found to be "an old acquaintance"—a poem which *was written for and published in the Ledger some weeks ago, and for which I paid Mr. Saxe what he considered a very liberal sum.*

Now, I leave it to the public to judge if such a publication would not be more appropriately designated by being advertised as a DEAD, instead of a LIVE newspaper. But this is not the first time that this publication has offended. It has heretofore published some of my copyrighted articles, but I am not disposed to treat it harshly. It does not stand alone in this matter.

There is no paper published in the United States from which so many stories, sketches, essays and poems are copied by the country Press as the New-*York Ledger*; and there is none that receives so little credit in proportion to the amount of matter taken from it. This arises probably from the fact that I do not print the line, "*Written for the New-York Ledger,*" over everything which I publish originally. This custom of extracting from the columns of the *Ledger* without the customary acknowledgment at one time annoyed me somewhat, but latterly it has been a source of amusement, as will be seen by the facts above stated, as well as those which follow:

Harper's Weekly, some time ago, published an article which struck us as being an old acquaintance, and on turning to our files we discovered that it was, word for word, one of Fanny Fern's Ledger "Sketches" which had been published and copyrighted by us. On being informed of this fact, the Messrs. Harpers promptly made the *amende honorable*, and stated in explanation, that the article had been copied from an English periodical which, it seems, "had appropriated" the "Sketch" and published it as original.

A short time after this occurrence, the *Home Journal* published a story, credited to a London paper, which story was written expressly for the *Ledger* by Sylvanus Cobb, Jr. We called General Morris' attention to this fact, and he immediately and handsomely made the proper acknowledgment; but in the same number of the *Home Journal* in which the correction appeared, another *Ledger* article was published, likewise credited to a London paper. This rather startled our friend the General. "What confounded thieves they are over there!" said he; "they live by plundering American literature!"

Next in turn came the grave *Journal of Commerce* with one of Emerson Bennett's graphic "Mexican Sketches," written expressly for the *Ledger*, and which, having probably been pilfered and published by some other paper, was copied by the "*Journal*," without credit to either the *Ledger* or the author.

And lastly, The *Home Journal*, notwithstanding the great precautions taken by its conductors to prevent the recurrence of such accidents, recently published an article on "Jealousy," *credited to Dickens*, which was written for us by Augusta Moore, and published in the *Ledger* of the 15th of May last. We shall not say anything to our good-natured friend General Morris about this matter. We would not willingly drive him to despair.

But, after all, we do not know that we can blame our cotemporaries. It is very natural for editors in search of matter to take the very best they can find,